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OUTLINES.

Judge Taft has decided to make his acceptance speech the most important utterance of the campaign. He leaves Hot Springs Friday for Oyster Bay, where he will have a conference with the President in order that the latter may review his speech——Bishop Henry C. Potter died last night at 8:35 o'clock, at Cooperstown, N. Y. His death marks the passing of one of the most distinguished prelates in the United States. He suffered a relapse Monday and the end came peaceful and quiet——The Taft faction in Lincoln, Neb., yesterday repeated their desire to unfurl a Taft banner in Bryan's home town——"Rev." William G. Whittaker was yesterday convicted on six counts in the United States Circuit Court, in Asheville, of using the mails for fraudulent purposes——The American athletes were victors in the Olympic games yesterday. They attained high honors and were winners of medals——President Roosevelt left Oyster Bay yesterday for Newport, where he will deliver an address at the Summer conference of the officers of the United States Naval College today. He was accompanied on the "Mayflower" by the members of his family——The Prince of Wales will reach Quebec today at noon and will be received by a delegation of distinguished representatives. His arrival will mark the beginning of the historical pageants——New York markets: money on call easy 1 1-4 to 1 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 1 1-4, closing bid 1, offered at 1 1-4, time loans stronger. Spot cotton closed quiet, 15 points advance, middling uplands 11.00, middling gulf 11.25. Flour steady with a moderate demand. Wheat firm, 99 1-2 to 1.00 1-2 elevator. Corn steady No. 8, 83 1-2 nominal elevator. Oats steady, mixed 58 to 59.

If both parties stick to their public declarations about campaign funds it is going to be a mighty tame affair.

In London there are 404 newspapers published, 31 of these being dailies. It is not said however, what kind of papers these are.

What has become of all those candidates who a short while back were so much before the public and taking up so much of the time of the people?

Mr. Bryan will depend on the newspapers rather than on his own eloquence this year. He shows his good sense. He tried the other twice and failed.

Why is it Republicans on the eve of their State convention are not going over the State begging their friends to vote for them? The nominations on their side seem rather to be going begging—a significant state of affairs.

Mr. Bryan may say that he is twelve years older than he was when he was first nominated, but that only means that the Nebraskan in this race has twelve years' start of his opponent and this is an occasion when time is going to count.

Senator Foraker, it is said, has fallen into line and will work for the Taft ticket in Ohio. He is too late. He has already done the work for the Taft ticket in his State. The injury he has done his party cannot be overcome at this late day.

The Aldrich currency bill is not such a great measure as many bankers thought it would be. They have found that Congress has provided no way of getting out of the thing after once getting into it and few are going to make the venture.

Look out now for Atlanta folks to take to eating clams. One of her citizens, while partaking of a 25 cent lunch on clams in a restaurant the other day, came across a pearl which a jeweler declared to be worth $500. All Atlantans will now be looking for pearls in clams.

The New York World remarks that "Roosevelt refused to take the stump for Taft for the reason that having ordered his election the incident should be considered closed." Mr. Roosevelt will in November find that his position of Commander-in-Chief of the American Navy and Army does not carry with it the position as Commander-in-Chief of the American voters.

Wilmington will be flooded with Sunday school children and their friends from points up the Carolina Central next Friday. Let them come to our city and our beach resorts will have accommodations and amusements for all the road can bring. Our city gates are ever wide open to such as these, and all will be done to give the little ones a joyous day on this day of their outing to the seashore.

Tomorrow Night.

Skidoo dance at Lumina. Don't forget the Japanese dance Monday night. **

SENSATION IN COURT

Attorney Asks New Trial For Client in Raleigh on Ground of Dereliction.

FAILED TO ATTACK WITNESS

Case of Young Man Charged With Larceny From Seaboard—Educational Conference—State Board of Equalization.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 21.—A sensation swept the crowd in Wake Superior Court today when Charles U. Harris, as counsel for Frank Perdee, the ex-car inspector for the Seaboard Air Line, convicted last evening of stealing hams and other freight from a car last March, appealed to the court for a new trial for his client on the ground that he felt that he as counsel had failed to do his duty by the prisoner in the first trial in that he failed to attack the character of H. J. Stewart, yardmaster for the Seaboard here on the ground that he is now charged with, and suspended from work on a much more serious offense than that for which he had prosecuted Perdee.

Explaining further, Mr. Harris informed the court that Stewart was suspended from duty by the Seaboard superintendent on the charge of reporting on his yard pay roll a number of negro men who were not employed and in one or more instances were actually dead; and also with taking these checks and forging the names of the payees and cashing them for his own benefit.

Judge Neal declined to grant the new trial but took occasion to say that he was deeply impressed with the case of Perdee, the circumstantial evidence against whom seemed to warrant the jury in giving a verdict of guilty in spite of the fact that he had up to the time of the alleged crime maintained an excellent character, and that he would defer for a while judgment in the case.

At the request of counsel H. J. Stewart was allowed a statement in his own behalf. He said that Mr. Harris had not stated all the facts in his case to the court, thereby presenting him in the wrong light; that while he was charged with the acts as stated by Mr. Harris, there was an investigation by the Seaboard authorities only yesterday at which he was exonerated from all charges except that of possible negligence in having his payrolls properly signed, a duty that he had erroneously left largely to the chief clerk. He said further that his information was that unless there were further development of charges against him he would be reinstated in his duties as yardmaster. The superintendent, he said, had been quoted to him as saying this.

Rev. William Meade Clarke, rector of St. James Episcopal church, Richmond, and editor of The Southern Churchman, spent the past three days here the guest of the Brotherhood of the Good Shepherd, having come especially to deliver an address before the Brotherhood and their friends Monday evening.

Grand Master S. H. Gattis and Grand Tiler R. H. Bradley of the North Carolina Grand Lodge of Masons, went to Sunbury today for the purpose of laying the cornerstone tomorrow for a handsome public school building.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner has just perfected the programme for the Eastern Carolina district Association of county school superintendents composed of 20 counties in this section of the State to meet at Cary, this county, July 24th and 25th.

A charter is issued for the Johnson, Fulton Lumber Co., Walnut Cove, Stokes county. The capital is $10,000 and the incorporators D. S. Watkins, J. F. Fulton and R. A. Johnson.

The North Carolina Board of Equalization, created by the 1907 Legislature, was in session two hours today, effecting formal organization by making Lieutenant Governor Francis D. Winston chairman and Everard Baker, chief clerk to the State Auditor, secretary, the board then adjourning until August 4th for any action that is to be taken in the matter of equalizing the property tax assessments as between the several counties of the State. There was a statement presented by the State Auditor showing the tax abstracts from the various counties, these to be the basis on which whatever work the board does will be based. However, it was deemed necessary to procure additional information before any work of equalization is done, and it was for this reason that the adjournment was taken. The abstracts submitted by the State Auditor showed that within the past eight years the assessed valuation of property in the State has increased from about $300,000,000 to over $600,000,000.

Don't Forget

the Japanese dance at Lumina Monday night—the biggest dance of all. **

CASE OF BARNIE LEARD

Young White Man Charged With Larceny Believed to be Responsible For Series of Petty Burglaries in the City.

Barnie Leard, the young white man, said to be a drug fiend, was not given preliminary trial in the police court yesterday on the charge of larceny of surgical instruments from the office of Dr. Schonwald, particulars of which were given in yesterday's paper, the police desiring to continue their investigation further.

It is believed that young Leard is responsible for a number of the petty burglaries that have occurred within the city during the past few weeks. He has been partially identified as the person who entered the boarding house of Mrs. Phares, on Market street, and yesterday it was ascertained that he is the man who sold to a small dealer on Front street a clock that had been stolen from the room of Mr. John Poole, in the Peterson & Rulfs building. A search was made of his home at Eighth and Nixon streets under the direction of Sergeant C. S. Burnett Monday night, but nothing was found of consequence. He admits, the police say, that he is a drug fiend and at the last term of court pleaded effectively to Judge Neal that it was his uncontrollable craving for drugs that led him to enter the residence of Mr. Hugh Turrentine and steal an umbrella from a hat rack with which he was charged at that time. This frank statement from the young man excited the sympathy of Judge Neal, who allowed him to go upon payment of costs. The costs were never paid, it seems, and at the time he was arrested there was a capias in the hands of the sheriff for him. The arrest was by Officer J. R. Minshew and is regarded as one of importance.

LOVER'S ILL LUCK.

Interesting Escapade in Moving Pictures at The Bijou Today.

"Lovers' Ill Luck" will be the film at the Bijou today and it promises to be a drawing card. A dashing young woman, bored to death with an old man for a husband, sends a note inviting her young admirer to call. Then she feigns illness and asks her husband to go away as the solitude will quiet her nerves. He does so and soon arrives the bashful young admirer who tips the maid to inform him of the return of the man of the house. The old man's darling is soon as lively as a soubrette and the two are having a gay, old time when the husband returns, all exit is cut off and the young admirer is pushed into a wardrobe. The husband bursts in, finds the wife all excitement and accuses her of being in company with another. She strenuously denies, when lo and behold an old woman emerges from the wardrobe, the husband bows his profound apology and the young man in old woman's attire leaves the house. As he proceeds down the street in female garb, he attracts many admirers and his course to his home is then marked by a succession of surprises. He finally returns, divests his garb of a female and breathes a sigh of relief at the end of a most exciting adventure.

WILMINGTON TAKES GAME

Compress Giants Even Up With The Lumberton Red Birds.

In another fast and snappy game yesterday afternoon the Compress Giants, the colored team from Wilmington, evened up with the Lumberton Red Birds in a score of 5 to 2. The features of the game were the pitching of Mills and Barney's two-base hit with two men on bases.

The Score:—	R	H	E
Wilmington 000 110 12x	5	9	2
Lumberton 000 002 000	2	7	3

Batteries—Mills and Browne; Love and Merrick. Umpire, Townsend. Attendance 150.

There will be another game today and as both teams have won a game each, the tie promises to be hard fought. The car schedule is good and both white and colored are invited.

Excursion on River Tomorrow.

Circle No. 6, of Fifth Street M. E. Church will run an excursion to Carolina Beach on the steamer Wilmington tomorrow and a delightful outing is assured all who take the trip. There will be two trips of the steamer at 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. and the fare will be only 25 cents. Mrs. J. W. Fleet and Mrs. James S. Williams are in charge of the excursion and this ensures a pleasant day for all.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

I Shrier—Again Scores.
Lumina—Skidoo Dance.
W. B. Cooper—Pink Salmon.
J. W. H. Fuchs—Follow the Crowds.
Marsden Bellamy, Jr.—Assignee's Sale.
W. B. Thorpe & Co.,—Building Material.

Business Locals.

Circle No. 6—Excursion Thursday.
Wanted—Board in Private Family.
J. C. Graham, Jr.—Male Teachers Wanted.

"Skidoo"

"Skidoo" dance at Lumina tomorrow night. Don't forget the Japanese dance Monday night. **

HELD UP VESTIBULE

Baxter Shemwell, of Lexington, Commands Southern Conductor to Stop Fast Train.

THEN ALIGHTED AT HIS HOME

Same Man Who Figured in Sensational Killing of Dr. Pagne Several Years Ago—High-handed Proceedings.

Charlotte, N. C., July 21.—The Chronicle this afternoon prints the following sensational story of the hold-up of the Southern's fast train at the point of a pistol by Mr. Baxter Shemwell, of Lexington, N. C., who forced the conductor to stop the train in order that he might alight at his station:

"A high-handed hold-up of train No. 37, the handsomely appointed Southwestern vestibuled limited over the Southern road, was the experience this morning of passengers under the handling of Capt. W. B. Smithers, of Charlottesvile, Va.

"Mr. Baxter Shemwell, of Lexington boarded the train at Charlottesville, Va., having a ticket to Lexington, in this State, the place of his rather sensational nativity. He was informed that the vestibuled made no stop at Lexington, and that he could leave the train either at High Point of Salisbury, to catch another train doing local service either way to the desired place of destination. Train orders were received by Captain Smithers at Greensboro not to stop No. 37 at Lexington, and acting on such directions the genial conducter informed Mr. Shemwell of all inability to relieve his desires to leave the train at his home town. This was shortly after 8 o'clock this morning.

"On meeting Captain Smithers in the narrow aisle of the Pullman at the end of the car just by the smoking compartment, Mr. Shemwell drew a revolver, and pointing it fair in the face of the conductor, announced his determination to have the train held for him to leave it. Captain Smithers remonstrated with the maddened man and positively told him his orders from the superintendent. There was not one whit of fear or anything akin to that as the big brawny conductor defied the angered passenger to make good his bluff. With drawn fist, held close to the face of Mr. Shemwell, he told him to shoot. Captain Smithers was without his pistol, and tried in vain among the passengers aboard the sleeper, about three cars from the rear of the train, to secure a weapon.

"Passing along to attend to his duties, Captain Smithers was again accosted by Mr. Schemwell, who on the second visitation presented two drawn pistols. Again did the conductor speak to his attacker and defy him to shoot. No shot was fired, however, as the passenger evidently took a third thought at the matter before daring to deal out death to another of his fellow-men.

"When the quiet little town of Lexington was reached the erstwhile fast flying aristocrat of traindom was pulled to a standstill, and Captain Smithers would have turned his man over to the authorities for arrest. Schemwell left the train holding his pistols out in full view and retained his warlike attitude toward the conductor. He called to Captain Smithers and told him he would have it out with him for the manner of his treatment, to which the captain replied in words that betokened a willingness to accommodate him after his desires. It is stated that when Schemwell left the train with his shooting habiliaments the officers at the station refused to place him under arrest, and permitted him to walk along unattended.

"It will be recalled by many people in this section of the State that Baxter Schemwell was held and tried on a charge of murdering the late Dr. John F. Payne, in Lexington, about ten years ago.

"Captain Smithers is one of the bravest and fairest men anywhere to be found. He is a gentleman of the high and rare type, and gentle and regardful of all his associates in the line of his difficult and painstaking duties. He is absolutely without fear, and what the reckoning with Mr. Schemwell may be when the two men meet again is a matter of speculation with his friends. There were only about ten passengers in the Pullman in which the holdup was attempted. No women witnessed the first attack."

Kitchin May Speak Here.

It is said to be entirely in the range of possibility that Hon. W. W. Kitchin, Democratic nominee for Governor of North Carolina, will speak at Wilmington during the early campaign. Mr. Kitchin will make a tour of the State during his campaign and Wilmington is said to be one of the important points on his itinerary. He would doubtless be heard by a very large crowd here and hs speech would make occasion for one of the big rallies before the election in November.

Twenty-Three.

Skidoo dance tomorrow night. Japanese dance Monday night. **

SESSION OF POLICE COURT

Negro Suspicioned of Attempted Incendiarism Released—Negro Who Stole Eggs Jugged at Last. Other Cases Yesterday.

An interesting session of the police court was held yesterday though the number of defendants was small. The negro arrested several days ago on suspicion of having set fire to the house of a colored woman in an alley leading from Seventh, near Orange street, was to have been given trial yesterday but after a thorough investigation of the case, it was found that he was not guilty and the inquiry is being continued by the officers.

Sam Hall, colored, was the star defendant. He has been away from the city since the 30th of May but returned night before last and was promptly nabbed by the police on the charge of the larceny of crates of eggs from the produce commission house of Mr. W. J. Meredith on Princess street. The evidence was "bang up" against Hall and he was bound to the higher court, going to jail in default of $50 bond. It appeared from the evidence that Hall loitered around the wharf and when he found an opportune time, would enter the stofe of Mr. Meredith, shoulder a crate of eggs and take them out to a dray to be sent to some point around town where he had received orders for the stolen property. The crate in question which he had stolen had been bargained to a colored restaurant keeper at Second and Brunswick streets, who innocently purchased them from him at or very near the market price. Yesterday both the drayman employed to haul the crate of eggs and the restaurant keeper testified that Hall was the man they had dealings with.

Joe Stewart, colored, arrested by Officer Leon George Monday night was given 30 days on the roads for vagrancy. When arrested he had in his possession a valuable gold scarf pin set with pearls. He was attempting to sell the pin at Smith's drug store when Officer George took him in tow, and it is believed that the piece of jewelry was stolen from some one who may identify it by calling at the City Hall.

Florence Mills, colored, was given 30 days on the farm for vagrancy. John and Mary Long, for an affray, were required to pay the costs. Three young white men charged with hilarity on the street at a rather late hour Monday night were given a seasonable lecture by Mayor Springer and required to pay the cost. The Mayor stated that he was impressed with their appearance and the atmosphere of the police court was no place for them. He bade them go and return to pay the costs when they felt they could assure him of their good behavior in the future.

FIRE EXTINGUISHER TEST.

Goodly Number of People Saw Exhibtion in Front of City Hall.

A goodly number of people last night gathered on the steps at the City Hall to witness a demonstration of the Phoenix Dry Powder Fire Extinguisher, which was guaranteed to extinguish a fierce oil fire in less than 10 seconds. The exhibition took place at 8:30 o'clock and a large goods box well saturated with kerosene was touched off and was soon blazing to the sky, the demonstrator breaking a tube of the powder and extinguishing the blaze in short order. As usual, "the kids" were on hand by a large majority and offered the only criticism of the demonstration—there was no explosion.

The demonstration of the Phoenix powder was witnessed by Chief Chas. Schnibben, of the Wilmington Fire Department, who pronounced it satisfactory in every respect. The tubes are metal, two inches in diameter and 20 inches long. Filled with the dry chemical, it takes only a few dashes to create a gas sufficient to extinguish the blaze in a few seconds. The heat from the fire last night was quite fierce and the crowd fell back while the demonstrator made a few passes at the box as if with a magician's wand and it was all up.

POLICE VACATIONS

Members of the Force Enjoying Their Ten Days' Rest During Summer.

The police by turns are now taking their annual vacations of ten days each during the Summer. Yesterday Officer E. H. Dement and Day Janitor W. L. Benson returned from their outing and Hall Officer E. L. Smith, Patrolman J. A. Dew and Sergeant C. W. Woolard went on their vacations. While Sergeant Woolard is off his position as sergeant is being filled by Officer M. C. Gray. By the first of September all of the men of the Department will have enjoyed this brief respite from their daily labors.

Rebeccas' Excursion Tonight.

The Daughters of Rebecca, the ladies' branch of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will run an excursion tonight on the steamer Wilmington. Refreshments will be served on the boat and a pleasant time is assured all who take the trip. The fare is only 25 cents.

The Biggest of All.

Don't forget the Japanese dance at Lumina Monday night. **

LOSES FIRST PLACE

Goldsboro Heavy Hitters Swatted Webster Out of Box in Sixth Innings.

RALEIGH LOSES ANOTHER

And the Fans are Demanding a Strengthened Team—Two Already Released—Wysong Pitched Pretty Three Innings.

Results Yesterday.

Wilmington 2, Goldsboro 8.
Wilson 3, Raleigh 1.

Games Today.

Wilson at Raleigh.
Wilmington at Goldsboro.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
Goldsboro	7	3	.700
Wilmington	6	4	.600
Wilson	5	4	.555
Raleigh	1	8	.111

(Special Star Telegram.

Goldsboro, N. C., July 21.—A large and enthusiastic crowd saw Goldsboro take the second game of this series from the Sailors today. The Giants hit Webster almost at will, bunching four nice clean singles in the fifth. The Sailors caught Umstead for seven hits but were unable to bunch them or even sacrifice off his delivery.

The Game in Detail.

First Inning: Flynn, Hoey and Kite out at first. James went to first on four balls; J. Sullivan singled to right; Adams bunted to pitcher but was safe on first baseman's muffing the throw; James and J. Sullivan scoring and Adams going to third on the error; J. L. Sullivan got a free pass to first, stole second and Adams stole on home on the throw to second. J. L. Sullivan stole third on the throw back to the plate, Bennett bunted to pitcher and beat it out at first; Umstead sacrificed out catcher to first, scoring J. L. Sullivan and advancing Bennett to second; Hamilton struck out and Wilbur flew out to right.

Second Inning—Ross hit safely by third; Smith struck out; Doak out foul to catcher; Sharpe hit safely to left for two bases scoring Ross and advanced to third on the throw home; Rath out pitcher to first. Yerkes flew out to right; James hit to third and was safe on wild throw to first; J. Sullivan hit to short and James was caught at second but second baseman threw wild to first and J. Sullivan went to second: Adams flew out to left.

Third Inning—Webster, Flynn and Hoey could not get to first. J. L. Sullivan hit safely by short and Bennet sacrificed him to second, pitcher to first; Umstead struck out and Hamilton out third to first.

Fourth Inning—Kite safe on short stop's error; Ross flew out to center; Smith hit to pitcher who caught Kite at second; Doak went out second to first. Wilbur and Yerkes couldn't reach first; James hit a hot one safely between first and second; J. Sullivan flew out to right.

Fifth Inning—Sharpe out, piteher to first; Rath singled to center; Webster fanned; Flynn out, short to first. Adams singled to left; J. L. Sullivan singled to left; Bennett singled to right scoring Adams; Umstead hit by pitched ball; Hamilton singled to center, scoring J. L. Sullivan and Bennett, Umstead going to third and Hamilton to second on the throw in; Wilburt sacrificed, fly to center, scoring Umstead; Yerkes sacrificed out third to first and James out grounder to first.

Sixth Inning—Hoey singled to left and stole second; Kite tried to advance him by a bunt to pitcher, but Hoey was caught between second and third, Kite going to second on the play; Ross singled to left and stole second; Smith hit to short who threw home catching Kite; Doak up and a wild pitch scored Ross; Doak out short to first. Wysong relieved Webster and J. Sullivan, Adams and J. L. Sullivan went out in short order

Seventh Inning—Sharpe got a lucky bouncer by third; Rath hit a hot line drive to third who made a sensational catch, doubling Sharpe off first; Wysong out short to first, Bennett, Umstead and Hamilton failed to reach first.

Eighth Inning—Flynn, Hoey and Kite went out in one, two, three order Wilbur and Yerkes fanned. James singled to right but J. Sullivan fouled out to catcher.

Ninth Inning—Ross fanned; Smith out fly to left; Doak hit a pretty two-bagger to left, but was thrown out trying to make it good for three. Goldsboro didn't care for any more.

The last three days of this week the Raleigh Red Sox come here for three games and Wilson goes to Wilmington. The fans are enthusiastic over the outlook and are confident of carrying off the pennant at the end of the season. Goldsboro is very well satisfied in every way with her team, which is playing fast, snappy ball all through. The umpiring of Mr. Hen-

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For President—W. J. Bryan, of Nebraska.
For Vice President—John W. Kern, of Indiana.

State Ticket.

For Governor—W. W. Kitchin.
For Lieutenant Governor—W. C. Newland.
For Secretary of State—J. Bryan Grimes.
For State Treasurer—B. R. Lacy.
For State Auditor—B. F. Dixon.
For Attorney General—T. W. Bickett.
For Commissioner of Agriculture—W. A. Graham.
For Corporation Commissioner—B. F. Aycock.
For Superintendent of Education—J. Y. Joyner.
For Insurance Commissioner—J. R. Young.
For Labor Commissioner—M. L. Shipman.

Congressional Ticket.

For Congress, Sixth District—Hannibal L. Godwin.

County Ticket.

For Sheriff—S. P. Cowan.
For Treasurer—H. McL. Green.
For Register of Deeds—John Haar.
For Coroner—Dr. C. D. Bell.
For Surveyor—E. J. W. Anders.
For Constable of Wilmington Township—W. B. Savage.
For County Commissioners—D. McEachern, H. L. Vollers, M. W. Divine, J. P. Montgomery, W. F. Robertson.

Legislative Ticket.

For Senator—B. G. Empie.
For Representative—George L. Morton.

LOOK TO COMFORT OF YOUR HORSE.

Because your horse when left standing in the broiling sunshine for several hours these hot days makes no complaint, as would a man under similar conditions, is no reason why you should think that your horse does not suffer from the heat under such circumstances. "Love me, love my dog" in such weather as this into "Love yourself, love your horse" we have seen a number of instances during this hot spell where owners or drivers of horses have seemed to take it for granted that those animals are not sensitive to heat, that they do not suffer when required to stand in the heat of the sun for such a time that were the man who forced it to do so were required to do the same by someone who had the power to do so he would complain bitterly of the inhuman cruelty, were he left vocal power enough to do so after the fearful experience. In this awful weather have regard for the comfort of those dumb beasts, you who have control of them. Remember that they, as well as human beings suffer from the heat and try to make life for them as comfortable as you do for yourself. The huname man will in this fearful weather look out for the comfort of his horse; the human brute will seek the shade for himself while he will leave his faithful brute companion to suffer in the sun without one thought for his comfort.

COMING TO BRYAN.

Things seem to be coming Bryan's way mighty fast. Nearly every day some man prominent in politics or business, who was not expected to do so, makes announcement that he will support the Democratic candidate for President. The latest comes from Hon. Frank S. Monnett, formerly Republican Attorney General of the State of Ohio. It was he, who, while holding the office began the prosecution against the Standard Oil Company and was afterward employed by the Inter-State Commerce Commission to gather material up which to base the Government's prosecutions. Mr. Monnett paid Mr. Bryan a visit last Sunday and held a conference with him that night at which he announced to that gentleman that it was his purpose to actively support him in Ohio during the campaign to the extent of making many speeches in his behalf. This is only one of the many cases of prominent men and of men of influence in their territory who have declared that this time they will throw all their influence for Mr. Bryan. These are signs which show the way the wind is blowing—and blowing strong.

MISS HAVIS FOUND.

We know that those of our readers who have taken interest in the mysterious affair of the disappearance of Miee Havis of Charlotte will be glad to know that her friends have found her, but they will be distressed to learn that indications are that her intellect has been, to a large extent, destroyed. The news from Charlotte is that she was found sitting in the depot at Columbia. She had evidently walked all the way to that city from Union where she left the train. She had spent two nights in the woods on the way from the one city to the other. When asked why she had left home she smiled and replied "I cannot tell you that." Evidently her mind is impaired and she presents to her relatives and friends a pitiable case. We know that our readers are glad she has been found and that she will soon be restored to her normal condition.

The periodical rumor of threatened joint interference by the United States and Mexico in Central America affairs because of serious disturbances there is to the front again. This was the subject of a conference at Oyster Bay last Saturday. The best way to get rid of these oft repeated troubles for our Government would be to except the Central American Republics from the Monroe Doctrine and let whatever European power which desired to do so to step in and take possession. England or Germany would soon find excuse for doing so and our people would be saved a heap of trouble and annoyance.

Mr. Bryan says he is glad to hear that Mr. Taft advocates the publication of the campaign funds with the names of the contributors, but suggests that he do not wait until after the election to make such publication as proposed, but does each week during the campaign as the Democrats will do. Now it is up to Mr. Taft and the Republicans to say whether they will accept the challenge, as challenge it is from Mr. Bryan.

A man wearing a hat and a pair of socks "with nothing between" walked up Broad street in Richmond the other day, says an exchange. He claimed the weather was "too hot for clothes." That fellow could sympathize with Sidney Smith when he shocked the old lady, who asked him if he was suffering from the oppressively hot weather then prevailing, by replying that he was so hot he would like to take off his flesh and sit in his bones.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—"Women who wear peek-a-boo waists have no right to criticise men who sit in church in their shirt sleeves," says the Rev. Sydney Goodman, of Atlantic City. Must be trying to get women's rights mixed up in another subject now.—Newbern Sun.

—It strikes us funny that in the National Prohibition convention as the clerk was calling the roll of States, Carrie Nation answered when North Carolina was called. This State makes no claim whatever on the distinguished lady.—Greenville Reflector.

—Secretary Cortelyou says the deficit was merely a matter of bookkeeping and that by next year he will have installed a new system that will do away with another shortage. If he can manage to get a mere shortage of sixty millions on the other side of the ledger by a system of bookkeeping we know a few million people who would like to be let into the secret.—Greensboro Record.

—With the exception of his leader Mr. Bryan, no man in the country has been more discussed recently than has Mr. John W. Kern, of Indiana, Vice Presidential candidate of the Democratic party. Mr. Kern has never before figured largely in National politics, but has been a leader in his own State. The reception given him upon his return to Indianapolis after his nomination was a fine display of the regard in which he is held by his own people. At a mass meeting on that occasion Vice President Fairbanks presided, and paid a fine tribute to Mr. Kern.—Winston Journal.

—Managers of the Republican party undoubtedly expect to lose this year to Mr. Bryan some of the northern and western States that supported their ticket four, eight and twelve years ago. The ticket they nominated shows a supreme desire for Eastern support. It is an Eastern ticket. Their platform, wherever there was a difference of opinion among the delegates, was so framed as to satisfy the party in the East. Mr. Taft's associations are all with the East, as, of course, are the Vice Presidential nominee's. While, no doubt, efforts will be made to supplement Eastern support for Western, the real reliance is upon a solid East and States farther west that are almost certainly Republican.—Raleigh Times.

—Several of the Picayune's correspondents who had been heretofore classed as Democrats have proposed that the Southern people shall "shake off party shackles" and vote for Judge Taft for President. The term shaking off party shackles, becomes ridiculous when it means abandoning Democratic affiliations for Republican conections. What is the difference between Democratic shackles so-called, to which we are accustomed, and Republican shackles which are just as confining, and to which we have not become inured? The old fable in which all persons carrying heavy burden of care, misfortune and grief were ordered by fate to drop their loads, and this being done each individual was permitted to take up the package he could easiest carry, comes up in this connection. Each person chose some other individual's burden, but only for a moment was the change pleasing. Each soon found that the other fellow's load was excessively hard to carry, and each begged to have his own old burden restored to him.—New Orleans Picayune.

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TWINKLINGS.

—"I don't believe in that doctor." "Why?" "He didn't tell me everything I wanted to eat was bad for me."—London Opinion.

—A Startling Hint.—Gerald—Some things go by fits and starts. Geraldine—I don't want you to have a fit, but I wish you'd start.—Pick-Me-Up.

—Fred—I had a fall last night which rendered me unconscious for several hours. Charles—Really! Where did you fall? Fred—I fell asleep.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

—"Didn't I see the grocer's boy kiss you this morning, Martha?" "Yes'm. But he ain't to blame, ma'am. 'Twas the iceman set him the bad example."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

—"There's one thing I like about those sheath dresses," said the husband. "What's that?" asked the wife. There don't seem to be a lot of buttons to do at the back."—Yonkers Statesman.

—"The cat sneaked beneath the couch when I came in; it must have a yellow streak in its make-up." "It must have. I see the canary's cage is empty and here are some feathers."—Houston Post.

—"In order to succeed in life," said the experienced person, "you must not be afraid to make enemies." "Then," answered the tractable youth, "you would probably advise me to put in some time as a baseball umpire."—Washington Star.

—Jack—The horse I backed for the Belmont Stakes led for half the course and then turned around and bolted for the starting post. Eva—But why didn't you back him both ways?—Town and Country.

—Scott—Funny how differently people act when they get mad. Ever notice it? Mott—Sure thing! The gas man flares up, the dentist grinds his teeth, the fireman gets drinker forths at the mouth.—Boston Transcript.

—"They tell me your 10-year-old son is really a prodigy." "Yes. He can name all the candidates who ran for the presidency and the vice presidency in 1904, and he has already memorized the names of most of those who have been nominated this year."—Chicago Record-Herald.

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STATEMENT.

THE TITLE GUARANTY AUD SURETY COMPANY, of Scranton, Pennsylvania.

Condition December 31, 1907, as shown by Statement filed.

Amount of Capital paid up in cash	$ 800,000.00
Amount of Ledger Assets December 31st of previous year $1,538,602.77; Increase during the year $12,250.00; total	1,550,852.77
Income— From policy holders, $629,964.43; Miscellaneous, $68,338.42; Total	698,302.85
Surety, $628,787.13; Title $1,177.30.	
Disbursements—To policy holders $195,177.62; Miscellaneous $433,382.31; Total	628,559.93
Surety, $195,177.62.	

Premiums Written or Renewed During the Year.

Surety $775,501.36; Title, $933.25.

Premiums in Force at End of Year.

Surety, $101,383.64; Title $4,300.94.

ASSETS:

Book Value of Real Estate	$ 90,000.00
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	134,654.05
Loans secured by pledge of Bonds, Stocks or other collaterals	98,225.00
Book Value of Bonds	1,106,424.49
Cash in Home Office and deposited in Banks	83,301.15
Interest and Rents due and accrued	10,983.33
Premiums unpaid	168,048.73
Bills Receivable	4,276.87
All other assets detailed in statement	103,214.13
Total	$ 1,799,627.75
Less Assets, not admitted	106,342.79
Total admitted Assets	$ 1,693,284.96

LIABILITIES.

Unpaid Policy Claims	$ 127,203.58
Unearned premiums	308,119.81
Commissions, Brokerage and other charges due.	33,315.81
Salaries, Rents, etc.	1,000.00
State, County and Municipal taxes due on account	4,079.20
All other Liabilities as detailed in statement	25,550.18
Total amount of all Liabilities except Capital.	$ 499,268.58
Capital actually paid up in cash	800,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	394,016.38
Total Liabilities	$ 1,693.284.96

BUSINESS IN NORTH CAROLINA IN 1907.

Premiums Received, surety	$ 4,919.23
Losses Paid, surety	1,077.20
Losses Incurred, surety	1,077.20

President, Louis A. Watres; Secretary, John H. Law; Home Office, 516 Spruce street, Scranton, Penn.; Attorney for service, Insurance Commissioner, Raleigh, N. C. Business Manager for North Carolina Manager from Home Office.

State of North Carolina,
Insurance Department.
Raleigh, April 15, 1908.

I, James R. Young, Insurance Commissioner do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Title Guaranty & Surety Company, of Scranton, Pa., filed with this Department, showing the condition of said company on the 31st day of December, 1907.

JAMES R. YOUNG,
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$2.00 full size Mosquito Canopies, $1.39.	$1.50 full size Mosquito Canopies, $1.19.

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Beautiful Sheet of Water in Bladen County Scene of Many Pleasant House Parties This Season.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Ingold, N. C., July 21.—The White Lake, though situated miles from any railroad, is one of Bladen county's greatest treasures. The great demand for engagements for parties throughout the entire Summer attest its popularity.

Its isolation, its crystal waters for bathing, its clear, blowing breezes for sailing and its still quiet places for "mooning" and fishing make it the place uniquely suitable for marooning parties. A party of young people from these and other points has just returned from a very enjoyable week's outing at this little resort. Besides the amusements already mentioned the dancing was enjoyed immensely. Music was furnished by the Dison orchestra. The party consisted of Misses Mary Graham, Charlotte; Alice McCullers, McCullers, N. C.; May and Beulah Campbell, Greensboro; Wyatt McKinnon, Red Springs; Lucy Currie, Fayetteville; Susan Geddy, Stedman; Mary McDowell, Elizabethtown; Katie Hawes, and Lilian Colvin, Atkinson, N. C.; Julia Cromartie, Flora Cromartie, Olivia Johnson, Mary Sloan, Atwood Sloan, Annie Sloan, Bessie Cromartie, Maggie Beatty, Bettie Johnson, Florence Lamb, E. Cogdell, Maggie and Janie Fennell, Gertrude Cromartie, and Messrs. Iver and F. Jester, Norfolk, Va.; E. A. Hawes, Jr., DeVane Murphy, C. S. Eagle, McClosfield, N. C.; Tom McDowell and C. E. Singletary, Elizabethtown, H. Page, Norment McDowell, William H., David B. and Henry L. Sloan, Robert Murphy, Ben J. Cromartie, Ray Council, Henry Beatty, Lee Lamb, B. C. Johnson, Don and Rob Sloan, Chas. Sloan, E. G. Smith and Miss Bessie Black and Mr. Jim Cromartie.

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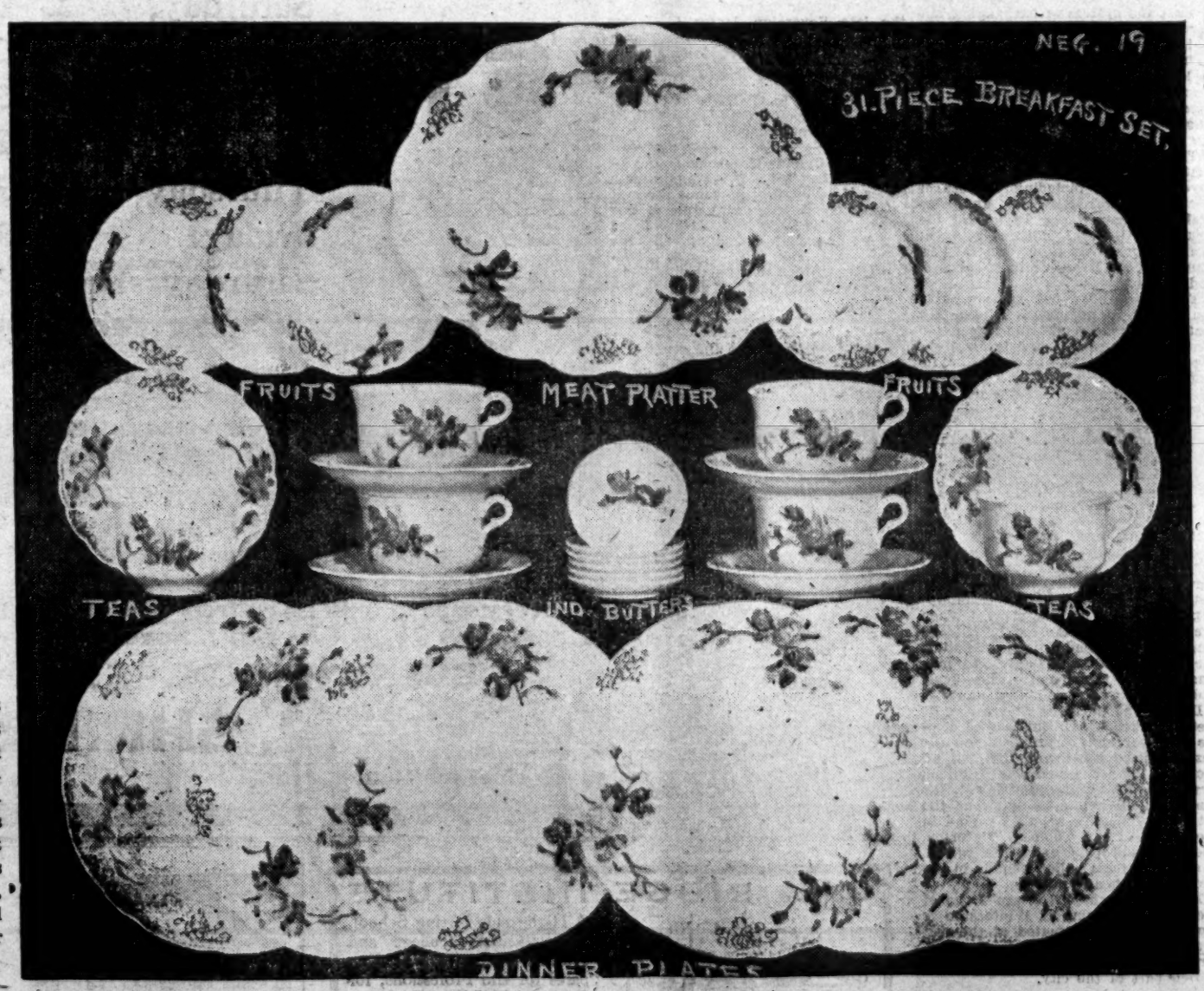

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Wednesday, July 22, 1908.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., July 22, 1908.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Tuesday, July 21st:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 81 degrees; 8 P. M. 82 degrees; maximum 90 degrees; minimum 73 degrees; mean 81 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 00; rainfall for the month 4.52.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Tuesday at 8 A. M. (—) feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Showers Wednesday; Thursday fair; fresh west winds.

Port Calendar—July 22.

Sun Rises.....4:59 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:12 P. M.
Day's Length.....14 hrs. 17 min.
High water at Southport 3:45 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 6:15 P. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. W. F. Leonard, of Birmingham, Ala., is in the city on a business trip.

—Mr. Hunter Smith and family, of Fayetteville, are spending some time at Wrightsville Beach.

—Mr. Theo. Schutt and Mr. August Wessell left yesterday for New York and other points North to spend a few days.

—Judge Lewis and ex-Congressman R. B. Scarborough, of Conway, S. C., were among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton.

—Mrs. W. M. Glover and sons, who have been visiting Mrs. N. E. Bunting several weeks, have returned to their home at Fayetteville.

—Mr. Carl B. Rehder left Sunday to spend some time with Mrs. Rehder, who is visiting her old home at Lincolnton, N. C.

—Mrs. Mary Hinsdale, of Fayetteville, who has been spending some time at Wrightsville Beach, has returned home.

—Miss Maggie MacRae left yesterday for Atlanta, Ga., where she will spend some time the guest of her sister, Mrs. Thacker, of that city.

—Mr. J. T. Burruss, of Lumberton, was among the passengers on the belated Seaboard train yesterday morning and is a guest at The Orton.

—Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ballentine, of Fuquay Springs, spent yesterday in the city on their way to Wrightsville Beach."

—Mrs. Joe Schad left yesterday for Marion and Darlington, S. C. After spending a while in those places with friends, she will go to her home in St. Louis to spend several months.

—Among last evening's arrivals at The Orton were D. B. Johnson, of Tomahawk; C. W. Rankin, Fayetteville; H. W. Kirkpatrick, Charlotte; W. N. Nutt, Raleigh, and W. R. Hicks, Goldsboro.

—Charlotte Observer: "Miss Helen Liddell and Miss Leonora Seay are the guests of Miss Lina de Rossett in Wilmington. Miss Liddell will return Wednesday and Miss Seay the last of the week."

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Brandon arrived in the city Sunday from Lynchburg, Va., where they have been making their home for some time and were cordially greeted by their numerous friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. LeGrand Everett and little son and W. N. Everett, Jr., of Rockingham, N. C., arrived on the belated Seaboard train yesterday morning on their way to Wrightsville Beach to spend some time.

—Misses Mamie McCracken and Maud Brown, of Atlanta, Ga., have been visiting Mrs. E. W. Renn, of South Fourth street, this city. They left yesterday for points further South where they will visit before returning to their home.

—Dr. W. I. Taylor, of Kerr, N. C., was in the city yesterday morning returning home from Charlotte whither he accompanied his mother to be with her daughter, Mrs. Dr. J. G. Hood, whom friends will regret to know is again quite ill in the Presbyterian Hospital there.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Freeman, Miss Etta Freeman, Mrs. J. G. Barentine, of Wilmington, and Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Smith, of Trenton, N. C., left yesterday afternoon for Hendersonville, N. C., where they will join Miss Carrie May VonGlahn and Mrs. Jas. E. Willson to spend some time.

DOUGLAS FOR CHAIRMAN.

It Looks Certain He Will Be Head of National Committee.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Lincoln, Neb., July 21.—It now seems almost certain that the chairman of the Democratic National Committee will be former Congressman Wm. L. Douglas, of Massachusetts. The fact that he has been sought after to take the place became known here today following the departure of George Fred Williams, who conferred last night with Mr. Bryan after coming direct from Massachusetts. It was not generally known that Mr. Williams had returned East from the Denver conventon. It is presumed that he conferred wth Governor Douglas about the matter at the request of Mr. Bryan, while in the East. The appointment of Governor Douglas as National Chairman, it is stated, would meet the requirements which it is desired the National Chairman shall possess. He is a man of large means and political experience, is popular with the laboring class and his attitude on the tariff question completely meets the Democratic idea.

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LOCAL DOTS.

—The steamer Navahoe cleared at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon for her regular Georgetown, S. C., trip.

—The Seaboard Air Line train from Charlotte due here at 12:50 o'clock yesterday morning did not arrive until after her leaving time at 4:50 A. M. yesterday. The delay was caused by the blowing out of a cylinder head of the engine at Old Hundred, near Laurinburg, early in the night.

—Maximum temperature in the Wilmington district for the 24 hours ended at 8 A. M. yesterday were as follows: Wilmington 90 degrees, Charlotte 92, Cheraw 98, Florence 98, Goldsboro 97, Greensboro 92, Lumberton 98, Newbern 93 Raleigh 92, Weldon 94. The maximum here yesterday was only 90 degrees.

DIED AWAY FROM HOME.

Mrs. Mary E. Odiorne, of Columbia, Passed Away Here Yesterday.

The death of Mrs. Mary E. Odiorne, of Columbia, S. C., occurred yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, where she has been confined for the past nine days suffering with a cancer. The end came unexpectedly to the members of the immediate family and relatives and is particularly sad, her husband having visited her last week from Columbia and the marked improvement in her condition caused him to return home.

A few weeks ago Mrs. Odiorne came to Bolton, N. C., to spend a few weeks on a visit to her sister and was later brought to Wilmngton for treatment. Her daughter, Miss Mable Odiorne, of Atlanta, Ga., has been spending a few days in the city, being called here when her mother was brought to the hospital. The deceased was 51 years old and is survived by a husband, Mr. Howard L. Odiorne, and a daughter, Miss Mable Odiorne, of the immediate family, and a number of other relatives in North Carolina.

The funeral will be conducted this morning at 9 o'clock, by Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian church, and the remains will be temporarily interred in the Bellevue cemetery.

COMES TO WILMINGTON

Charlotte Man Head Prescriptionist With J. Hicks Bunting Co.

The Charlotte Observer of yesterday has the following of interest locally:

"Mr. J. Lester Ranson, formerly of this city, a son of Mr. R. M. Ranson, has accepted the responsible position of head prescriptionist in the retail department of the store of the J. Hicks Bunting Drug Company, at Wilmington, and began work Friday. Mr. Ranson is a graduate of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and was formerly connected with the Burwell-Dunn Company of Charlotte, and Woodall & Sheppard. He is superbly equipped for his work and is a valuable acquisition to the force of the Wilmington firm whose store has been advertised as 'the handsomest east of Chicago.'".

RAILWAY MILEAGE

South Carolina Railroad Commission Hears Officials at Columbia.

Columbia, S. C., July 21.—Beginning at noon and lasting until night a hearing before the South Carolina railroad commission in the matter of mileage was held yesterday. A large number of traveling men representing the T. P. A. and U. C. T. of this State and other States was present to protest against the system of exchanging mileage for tickets before boarding the trains at stations. The traveling men claimed that the system causes them to lose time, requiring twenty or thirty minutes more to get tickets and check baggage than formerly, and that this is a serious inconvenience in trying to make several towns in a day.

The side of the railroads was presented by high passenger officials of several roads, including Passenger Traffic Manager Hardwick and General Passenger Agent Tayloe, of the Southern; General Passenger Agent Craig, of the Coast Line; General Passenger Agent Ryan, of the Seaboard, and others.

The commission has no powers in the matter, as mileage is a voluntary matter with the roads, and any action taken by the commission is merely a recommendation to the roads. The statements were taken by a stenographer and when submitted to the commission the board will make its finding.

SHOT-UP A BAR ROOM

Bad Men Ran Amuck in White Plains Saloon.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Boston, Mass., July 21.—Three men, armed with heavy calibre revolvers, dashed into a crowded Jamaica Plain bar room ten minutes before closing time tonight and yelling "hands up" began shooting up the place. When they had grabbed the money till and emptied it and had finished shooting, they made their escape. One man was dead on the floor, another dying and a third was seriously wounded.

Dashing at the door the men were met by Officer S. C. Butler who drew his revolver and began firing on the desperadoes. None were hit and all escaped. The dead man is Frank J. Drake, aged 52 years. Patrick R. Doran, aged 40 years, is dying at the City Hospital with a bullet wound in the abdomen and Thomas Winterton, one of the proprietors of the saloon, is suffering from bullet wounds in the back of the head and arm.

The saloon which was the scene of the shooting is run by Winterston & McManus, and is situated at the corner of Washington and Boylston streets, n Jamaica Plain, in a thickly settled part of the city.

—Mrs. B. L. Hayes and son, of Chadbourn, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

CHILL TONIC—Try my Indian Root and Herb Chill Tonic. Former price $1, now 25 cents. Dr. Moore, 121 South Front street, Wilmington, N. C.
jy 21-1w*

LOSES FIRST PLACE

(Continued from first page.)

derson is giving very fine satisfaction.

Tabulated Score.

Goldsboro.	AB	R	H	O	A	E
James, rf	4	1	2	0	0	0
J Sullivan, cf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Adams, 2b	3	2	1	2	3	0
J L. Sullivan, lf	3	2	2	2	1	0
Bennett, c	3	1	2	5	0	0
Umstead, p	2	1	0	0	6	0
Hamilton, 3b	4	0	1	1	3	0
Wilbur, 1b	3	0	0	14	0	0
Yerkes, ss	3	0	0	1	7	1
	30	8	9	27	20	1

Wilmington.	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Flynn, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Hoey, 1b	4	0	1	10	0	1
Kite cf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Ross, c	4	2	2	7	1	0
Smith, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	1
Doak, rf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Sharpe, 2b	3	0	2	1	0	1
Rath, ss	3	0	1	0	3	0
Webster, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Wysong, p	1	0	0	1	2	0
	33	2	7	24	10	3

Score by Innings.

Goldsboro .. ...400 040 00x—8 9 1
Wilmington .. ..010 001 000—2 7 3

Batteries: Umstead and Bennett; Webster, Wysong and Ross

Summary: Earned runs, Goldsboro 3, Wilmington 1; stolen bases, J. L. Sullivan 2, Bennett, Hoey and Ross; sacrifice hits, Adams, Bennett, Umstead, Wilbur and Yerkes; two base hits, Sharpe and Doak; bases on errors, Goldsboro 8; Wilmington 8; base on balls, off Webster 2; hit by pitched ball, Webster 1; struck out by Umstead 3, Webster 3, Wysong 3; base hits, off Webster 8, off Wysong, 1; left on bases Goldsboro 6, Wilmington 4; wild pitches, Umstead 1; double plays, Hamilton to Wilbur; time 1:50; umpire, Henderson; attendance 600.

Fatal Error in the Eighth.

Raleigh, N. C., July 21.—The Raleigh Red Sox lost out again today to Wilson, score 3 to 1. Errors in the eighth when the score was one and one cost Raleigh the game. Raleigh fans are demanding that the team be strengthened. Fox and Lyon were released tonight.

The Score:—	R	H	E
Raleigh .. ..100 000 000—	1	5	3
Wilson .. ..000 000 120—	3	6	2

Batteries: Edmundson and Wrenn; Ogle and Holt. Struck out by Edmundson 3, Ogle 4; bases on balls, Edmundson 2, Ogle 0; double plays, Reid for Raleigh unassisted; Umpire Upchurch; time 2 hours; attendance 400.

To Newbern After Prisoner.

Constable Savage yesterday afternoon went over to Newbern to bring to this city John Robinson, a young colored man, charged with the larceny of money from the safe of Mr. M. H. Kelly in whose saloon at Second and Princess streets he was employed as porter. The negro by some means had gotten in possession of one of two keys to the cash compartment in the safe and while the outside door was open during the day, the negro would pick his opportunity to enter and take whatever was convenient. He was discovered by Mr. Kelly in the safe several weeks ago, but he ran out of the bar and disappeared, being later located in Newbern by Constable Savage and arrested there on a warrant from Justice Furlong's court.

W. O. W. Unveiling at Clarkton.

On Sunday, August 16th, at 2:30 P. M. a monument over the grave of the late Sovereign James I. Hester will be unveiled by Brown Marsh Camp No. 262. All Woodmen are invited to attend the ceremony and are requested to meet at Brown Marsh Camp No. 262 in Clarkton at 1:30 P. M. It is expected that there will be a very large attendance.

Sports at Lumina Saturday.

Arrangements are being made for a series of swimming and canoe races at Lumina on Saturday afternoon of this week. While little enthusiasm can be worked up over a swimming race, the canoes will likely furnish quite a lively little regatta and a number of spectators will doubtless go down to see them.

(Communicated)

To the Christians and Good Citizens of the City of Wilmington.

I wish to call your prayerful attention to a Rescue Home at 814 South Ninth street, that God impressed me to open for fallen women. We have all that we can furnish room for at present and need a larger house as other applicants are being made for admission. Those who come to see the Home are earnestly persuaded to repent of their sins and live Godly lives. We will be glad to have any and all the ministers of the city to visit and pray with those poor girls and anyone desiring to help us in this work for our Lord, will find a trustworthy matron, Sister Blake, in the Home, who will gladly receive any help that you may desire to give. Let those who are interested visit the Home and its great need.

G. B. CASHWELL,
Superintendent.

DIED.

ODIORNE—In Wilmington, N. C., July 21st 1908, MRS. MARY E. ODIORNE, wife of Howard L. Odiorne, of Columbia, S. C.

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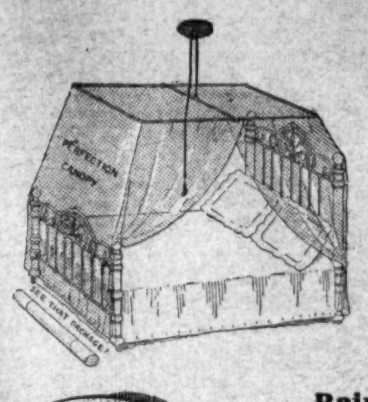

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Mosquito Canopy, 70-inch net, swings from ceiling.....$1.25
80-inch net.....$1.50
90-inch net.....$1.75
100-inch net.....$1.98

Perfection Canopy, full size, good quality net, copper wire spring, adjustable frame for wood or metal beds.....$1.98

Rain or Sun Umbrellas and Fancy Parasols for Ladies, Misses and Children.

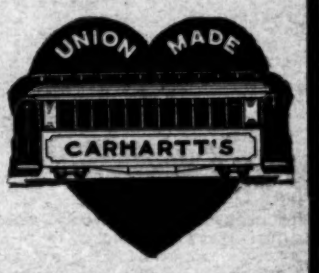
Parasols.....10c to $5.00
Umbrellas.....39c to $5.00

Special prices on all colored paralols all this week.

Overalls

Carhartt's Union Made Overalls, the best overalls made, only $1.00.

New lot just received; all sizes, 29-inch to 50-inch waist measure.



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The INTERNATIONAL TAILORING COMPANY have just consented to dispose of their Spring and Sommer surplus stock at CHICAGO to I. SHRIER, who is just completing his unparalleled twelve day sale of the surplus stock of the NEW YORK house of the same company.

THIS MEANS TEN DAYS MORE

$12 Wednesday, July 22
Thursday, " 23
Friday, " 24
Saturday, " 25
Monday, " 27
Tuesday, " 28
Wednesday, " 29
Thursday " 30
Friday, " 31
Saturday, August 1 $12

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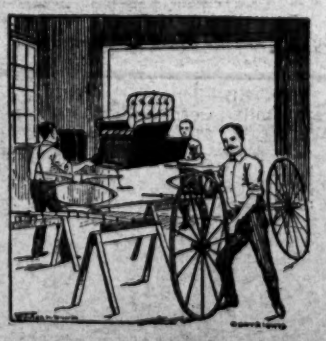

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BASE BALL

American League.

At Washington, 1; Detroit, 4.
At Philadelphia, 4; Cleveland 2.
At New York, 3; Chicago, 6.
Second game: New York, 6; Chicago, 3.
At Boston, 2; St. Louis, 1.
Second game: Boston, 3; St. Louis, 2

National League.

At Pittsburg, 2; Brooklyn, 0.
At Cincinnati, 2; Philadelphia, 3.
At St. Louis, 2; New York, 4 (12 innings.)
Second game: St. Louis, 3; New York 1.
At Chicago, 0; Boston, 5.

Carolina League.

At Greensboro, 6; Charlotte, 2.
Second game: Greensboro, 3; Charlotte, 6.
At Greenville, 14; Winston-Salem, 6.

Virginia League.

At Norfolk, 0; Richmond, 5.
Second game: Norfolk, 2; Richmond, 1.
At Danville, 4; Lynchburg, 2.

Southern League.

At Atlanta, 3; Memphis, 0.
At Birmingham, 0; Mobile, 4.
At Nashville, 0; Little Rock, 3.
At Montgomery, 3; New Orleans, 4 (10 innings.)

South Atlantic League.

At Jacksonville 1; Savannah 0.
At Charleston 1; Columbia 2.
At Augusta 1; Macon 0. Second game Augusta 1; Macon 0.

Virginia League.

Roanoke 9; Portsmouth 4.

THE GOULD DIVORCE

Wife of Prominent Theatrical Man Forced to Stay in Jail.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, July 21.—Mrs. Ben. Teal wife of a prominent theatrical manager and one of the three persons arrested in connection with the alleged plot to manufacture divorce evidence against Frank Jay Gould, the millionaire, was compelled to spend nearly four hours in a cell in the Tombs this evening before bail could be secured. Great consideration was shown Mrs. Teal in the Centre Street police court, where she was arraigned with Mrs. Julia Fleming, a seamstress, and Henry S. Mousley, a private detective, the other two who figure in the alleged conspiracy. When magistrate Corrigan held the trio in $5,000 bail each, Mousley quickly found a bondsman, but the two women were not so fortunate.

Court was kept open until after 4 o'clock to await bondsmen but as none appeared by that time the magistrate announced that the women must be taken to the Tombs.

Mrs. Teal had to be supported on her way to the prison by Mrs. Fleming. She was weeping hysterically.

Magistrate Corrigan endorsed the bail papers so that in case a bondsman was secured the women could be immediately released. It was not until 8 o'clock that Mr. Teal succeeded in getting bail for his wife. Mr. Teal did not get bondsman for Mrs. Fleming and up to a late hour tonight the seamstress was still a prisoner.

The examination of the prisoners today was a perfunctory one, the authorities desiring further time to delve into the amazing story of Mabel D. MacCauslan, a young man from St. Paul, Minn., who voluntarily gave to the District Attorney the information which led to the arrests. It is alleged that certain persons conspired to have Miss Maccauslan testify at the trial of Mrs. Gould's suit for divorce that Gould had been intimato with an actress.

Counsel for Mrs. Frank Gould said this afternoon that he did not know Detective Mousley, had never seen him and knew nothing about the alleged conspiracy except what he had read in the newspapers. The attorney added that it was absurd to think that any one could have been authorized to secure false testimony.

PRINCE'S ARRIVAL AT QUEBEC

Will Be Greeted by Distinguished Delegation—Historical Pageants.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Quebec, July 21.—Final preparations for receiving the Prince of Wales on his arrival aboard the battleship Indomitable tomorrow have been made, and tonight the city is on the tip-toe of expectation over this momentous event in his history. The city is invaded by 12,000 to 15,000 soldiers, representing the regular and militia strength of all parts of the dominion, with hundreds of official visitors and the titled nobility of English and other countries and thousands of interested spectators from American cities and from Canada. The city is elaborately decorated with triumphal arches spanning the main thoroughfares, the buildings hung with British and French flags and devices commemorating the deeds of the old French discoverers and testifying loyalty to the royal visitor who will come ashore tomorrow. The Indomitable is expected about noon tomorrow.

At the King's landing will be gathered a distinguished party of officials to welcome the Prince, including Earl Grey, Governor General of Canada, Field Marshall Lord Roberts, representing the British Army; Premier Laurier and his cabinet; Admiral Jaureguiberry and the official French envoys and Vice President Fairbanks, representing the United States Government, and Admiral Cowles, representing the naval department.

KILLED BY PORPOISE

Fifteen-Year-Old Lad Struck Down at Tybee Beach Yesterday.

Savannah, July 21.—Harry Lovett, 15 years old, was struck down and killed by a giant porpoise three quarters of a mile off Tybee beach today.

He was carried down before the eyes of his swimming companion, Wytty Brunner. The body is unrecovered.

Lumina

"Skidoo dance" tomorrow night. Monday night Japanese dance. **

TAFT BANNER AT LINCOLN.

Supporters of Republican Nominee Show Contempt For Bryan.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Lincoln, Neb., July 21.—High above the electric wires of the traction company, the Taft banner, which met such an ignominious fate the night before the nomination of Mr. Bryan, was today again flung to the breeze. Mutilated and begrimed, the banner was stretched across the street in the same location from which it was said the Democrats had torn it from its moorings. On either side of it an American flag was hung as a mute warning that it would be protected against a repitition of vandalism.

Most of today was spent by Mr. Bryan in delivering short speeches on the issue of the campaign into a phonograph. His intention is to give the speeches wide distribution throughout the country. Of his own volition, Mr. Bryan announced that he had received $500 from each of the two concerns as compensation for his work. When confronted with the suggestion by a newspaper man that he had accepted money from corporations and thereby had acted contrary to the declared policy of the Democratic party, Mr. Bryan stated that the whole proposition was a commercial one, and that he very properly could accept pay for his labors.

THREE ELECTROCUTED.

Freman, Lineman and Lad Die in Kline Building.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Altoona, Pa., July 21.—During a fire in the Kline building tonight three persons were electrocuted by live wires which dropped to the street. The dead are Joseph Byers, fireman; Joseph Frick, lineman for Edison Electric Company, and Harry Deshong, a lad of 12 years.

Byers and Frick were instantly killed. The wires fell around the neck of young Deshong and nearly burned his head off, the terrified crowd being afraid to render assistance. The lad was a son of Harry Deshong, president of Altoona Slect Council.

While the firemen were at work in front of the building the intense heat melted the wires and they dropped to the street. Byers and Frick, in attempting to escape them became entangled and were roasted to death in an instant. Young Deshong, who was inside the fire line, made an effort to dodge the falling wire, but one of them was wound around his neck so that escape was impossible.

EXPLOSION KILLED THREE

Fatal Affair Attributed to Carelessness of a Victim.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Shippensburg, Pa., July 21.—Three men who were blasting rock at the summit cut off the Cumberland Valley railroad near here were killed today as the result of a premature explosion while two others were probably fatally injured and ten seriously hurt. The dead:

Michael Maloy, aged 35, instantly killed.

Edward Butler, aged 37 badly mangled.

John London, badly mangled.

The accident occurred, it is alleged, through the carelessnoss of Maloy, who contrary to orders of William T. Shaw, Field Engineer of the cut-off work who was placing a fifty pound dynamite charge with an iron rod without a wooden end.

NAVAL RESERVE CRUISE.

Little Heard Yesterday From Maneuvers in Chesapeake Bay.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Norfolk, Va., July 21.—The base of operations being transferred to Tangiers Island, off the eastern shore of Virginia, the Naval Reserve fleet engaged in mimic warfare, is completely isolated from the shore and little is known of their movements. Only the occasional dim streaks of searchlights can be seen from Fort Monroe. Today the maneuvers will be transferred to the Southern Drill Ground, Cape Henry and Hampton Roads, when an effort will be made to capture the ports of the Chesapeake bay.

PRACTICE AT MOREHEAD

First Regiment Doing Good Work at Camp Glenn.

Atlantic Hotel, Morehead City, N. C., July 21.—The First Regiment is now in camp. Colonel J. T. Gardiner in command and General Armfield is post commander and executive officer of the rifle range. The main feature of the encampment is the target practice. One battalion shot at the 200 300 and 500 yard ranges today. Practice is coming up to expectations. Everything is moving smoothly and a great deal of interest is being taken in this practice by officers and men.

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is not entirely free from disease, on the high elevations fevers prevail, while on the lower levels malaria is encountered to a greater or less extent, according to altitude. To overcome climate affections, lassitude, malaria, jaundice, biliousness, fever and ague, and general debility, the most effective remedy is Electric Bitters, the great alterative and blood purifier; the antidote for every form of bodily weakness, nervousness, and insomnia. Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. Price 50c.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

MALE TEACHERS wanting work during August. Address J. C. Graham, Jr., Raleigh, N. C. jy 22-7t

WANTED—Board for couple in private family. German family preferred. Address "X" care of Star. jy 22-tf

CIRCLE NO. 6 of Fifth Street Methodist Church will run an excursion to Carolina Beach Thursday. Fare 25c Two boats 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. All are invited. jy 22-1t

IF YOU HAVE any real estate for sale or if you want to buy a house or a lot, see me. W. M. Cumming, Real Estate. jy 21-5t

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

WANTED—A good horse or mule serviceable for farm work. Address "Horse" care of Star. jy 21-2t*

THE BEACH COTTAGE advertised is rented and we have numerous applications for others; have you one furnished you wish to rent for the balance of the season? Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street, 'phone 766. jy 21-tf

THE DAUGHTERS OF REBECCA will run a searchlight excursion on the steamer Wilmington up and down the river Wednesday, July 22nd. Refreshments will be served on board boat. Fare 25 cents. jy 21-2t

LIBERAL REWARD—For return of young black and white setter dog, name "Spot." Tan markings on muzzle. Last seen near Tarrymoore, on Beach. C. W. Worth. jy 21-tf

FOR RENT—Large three story store, No. 108 Market street. Equipped with elevator and one of the best business locations in the city. Only fifty feet from Front street. Possession given at once or from October 1st. For terms, apply to B. H. J. Ahrens. jul 18 6t

BRICK, BRICK, BRICK—The Cronly Brick Company is prepared to fill all orders for brick on short notice. Phone 84. Yards on Water, between Princess and Chesnut streets. may 19-tf

THE EIGHTH SERIIES of stock by the People's Building and Loan Association, opens Saturday, August 1st. Shares 25 cents each. Worth $100 at maturity, stock can be obtained now by applying to D. R. Foster, Secretary and Treasurer, or W. F. Robertson, President. Office 206 Princess street. jul 15 tf.

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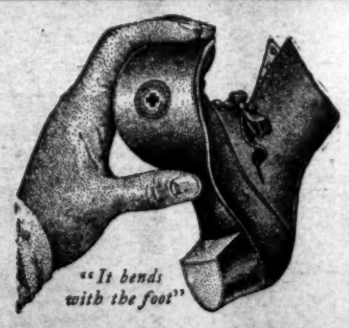

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(Began Business March 1st, 1899.)

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	$2,381,300 71	Capital	$ 550,000 00
N. C. and other Bonds	183,874 87	Surplus and Net Profits	294,751 10
U. S. Bonds (at par)	550,000 00	Circulation	550,000 00
Bank Buildings	55,000 00	U. S. Bond Account	100,000 00
Cash	830,928 28	Deposits	2,356,352 76
		Due Banks	150,000 00
	$4,001,103 86		$4,001,103 86

H. C. McQUEEN, President. J. V. GRAINGER, Vice President.
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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Rockingham, N. C., July 20.—Henry Harvey, a negro, shot and killed Hugh Price here Sunday morning. He also shot another negro at the same time. The trouble seems to have begun over a game of crap Saturday night.

—High Point, N. C., July 20.—This evening a son of Charles Hairston, driver for the High Point Ice and Fuel Company, was run over by a heavy wagon, driven by his own father, and his head mashed into a jelly.

—News and Observer: The executive committee of the Association of North Carolina Postmasters will meet at Greensboro next Saturday, July 25, and fix the time and place for the next annual meeting of the association. Postmaster Briggs, of Raleigh, is president and Postmaster Joyce, of Reidsville, is secretary of the association.

—Winston Sentinel: Everyone in the city will be pleased to learn that the Norfolk and Western Railroad Company will lay new 80-pound rails from this city to Roanoke. The work has already been done from Roanoke almost half-way to this city and the work will be started at this end of the line as soon as the labor can be secured.

—Benson Spokesman: It is a fact most worthy of mention that there has not been one single sack of western corn shipped to Benson this year. In the meantime four car loads have been shipped from here to other places. Now this is a record to be proud of for there are few towns in this section but what are compelled to call on the western granaries.

—Rockingham Anglo-Saxon: On Tuesday evening, the Wall property, situated on the extreme east end of Washington street, was the scene of quite a commotion. This property was sold at auction by the American Realty and Auction Company, of Greensboro, in lots 50 by 200 feet, the prices ranging from $50 to $780 per lot according to location and desirability. The proceeds of the sale amounted to something over $23,000.

—Greensboro Telegram: O Henry, the New York writer, is a Greensboro man—Mr. William Sidney Porter—a playfellow 35 years ago of many who are now are middle aged men and women to whom the latest news of his success will doubtless be always pleasant tidings. Mr. Porter's stories have grown more and more popular each year and his four books are also in much demand. Those books are "Cabbages and Kings," "The Trimmed Lamp," "The Four Million" and "The Voice of the City."

—Tarboro, N. C., July 20.—The severe warm weather caused the death of three children, Sunday. The three weeks-old baby of W. P. Whitfield, died Sunday morning at Runnymede A twin baby to this child died two weeks ago and death summoned the mother a few days afterwards. The young child of Steven Hoard, superintendent of the Consumers Oil Mills died Sunday morning. Interment was made at Lawrence. Elizabeth the ten-months-old daughter of Mill Stalls, died Sunday evening at six o clock. The remains were taken to Robersonville this morning for burial of Charities to action in his behalf.

—Winston Journal: As a result of lightning yesterday afternoon many of the local phones are out of commission and connection with a number of the smaller towns of this vicinity totally destroyed. So far as could be learned last night there were no fatalities or shocks of severity to individuals during the electrical display yesterday afternoon and last night. There were a number of sharp peals of thunder and the atmosphere was heavily charged with electricity.

—High Point Enterprise: R. T. Rosemond, clerk at the Benbow hotel has been notified that a check for $75 endorsed by him, made payable to C. H. Blake, who passed as the representative of Utica Fixture Company, of Utica, N. Y., has been returned unpaid. The bank at Utica said that no such firm has an account with them. The same man got worthless checks cashed by the Zinzendorf hotel at Winston-Salem; the Central, at Salisbury, and the Kennon at Goldsboro. Each check was for $75, purporting to be expense money. The Hotel Men's Association have taken up the matter and will endeavor to apprehend Blake.

—Greensboro Telegram: One of the most interesting places in Greensboro to visit is the site of the mammoth aditorium which the energetic and progressive Auditorium Company is preparing to erect and which, it appears now, will be one of the standing wonders of this town. An idea of the tremendous size of the building may be had from a glance at the amount of space inclosed by the cement pillars, which are already in place. It can be seen from the location of these what a huge building the auditorium will be. There is talk that a section of the auditorium may be leased to S. A. Schloss for use as a theatre.

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There is no such a thing as a cure for dyspepsia. We might as well talk about a cure for lame ankles.

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All modern treatments for indigestion aim at this relief. But they aim in different ways.

Some advise dieting. That brings partial relief by omitting some elements which the stomach can't digest.

But the omitted foods are important. The body requires many food elements. When you cut some of them out, you are robbing some part.

How can Nature restore digestive strength if you deprive it of nourishment?

Another common way is to take pepsin, or digesters which depend almost solely on pepsin.

That helps a little for pepsin digests albumen. But only part of your food is albumen. Pepsin can't digest starch; it can't digest fat. What will become of them?

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A perfect digester can be put up only in liquid form. That is why Kodol is liquid. And, because it is liquid, like the digestive juices, its action is almost instant.

This is very easily proved.

Take Kodol after the meal, and note the absence of pain, of fermentation, of gas. It is evident that the food is digesting.

Or mix Kodol with food in a test tube, under proper conditions, and one can see it digest. Not part of the food, as with pepsin, but all of it.

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Steamer Wilmington leaves daily 9:00 A. M. for Southport and Carolina Beach and 2.30 P. M. for Carolina Beach, except Saturday and Sunday. Saturday leaves for Carolina Beach and Southport 2:00 P. M.; leaves Southport 7:00 A. M. and 4:45 P. M. Sundays leaves for Carolina Beach and Southport 9:15 A. M. and 2:30 P. M., and for the Beach 7:30 P. M. Last train leaving Beach 8:30 P. M. Fare on Sundays 25c Round Trip.

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Schedule in Effect May 31st, 1908.

NOTICE.
The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	48.	No. 42
Lv Wilmington	8:40 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:03 pm	9:55 pm
Ar Rocky Mount	1:33 pm	11:40 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	3:30 am
Ar Norfolk	6:05 pm	
Ar Wilson	1:00 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:27 am
Ar Richmond	8:00 pm	6:10 am
Ar Washington	11:50 pm	9:50 am
Ar Baltimore	1:41 am	11:20 am
Ar Philadelphia	4:21 am	1:41 pm
Ar New York	7:23 am	4:13 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 43.
Lv New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar Philadelphia	11:37 am	12:15 am
Ar Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:51 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar Weldon	9:59 pm	11:28 am
Ar Rocky Mount	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar Wilson	11:47 pm	1:58 pm
Ar Goldsboro	6:15 am	3:00 pm
Ar Wilmington	9:30 am	6:19 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:25 pm	4:30 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:25 pm	11:10 pm	
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:15 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Sa'n.	6:20 pm	2:10 am	9:54 am
Ar. Jk'vlle		7 15 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		6:25 pm	11:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:25 am
Lv Jacksonville	9:10 am	7:45 pm
Ar Savannah	1:31 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:52 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:34 pm	8:55 am
Ar Wilmington	12:55 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:20 am	Ar 8:15 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:55 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:40 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv. 9:25 am

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Pennsylvania R. R., for all points east.

Trains No. 55 and 56 carry Pullman Sleeper between Wilmington and Columbia.

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TO

THE BEACH

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In effect May 30th, 1908.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
6:30 A. M.	6:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
*6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4 00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.

* This train leaves from Front and Princess. Freight received from 5:40 to 6:00 A. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
8:30 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

11:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.

Freight depot open on Sundays.

10:00 A. M.	11:00 A. M.

Carolina Place, Delgado and Golf Links.

Leave Junction every 30 minutes from 6:45 A. M. to 10:15 P. M. Sundays 8:45 A. M. to 10:15 P. M. Leave Golf Links every 30 minutes from 7:00 A. M. to 10:30 P. M. Sundays 9:00 A. M. to 10:30 P. M.

Special Baseball Schedule.

On days when games are advertised cars will leave Junction for grounds every 10 minutes from 2:15 to 4:15 P. M. On these days beach trains leaving Junction at 2:30, 3:00, 3:30 and 4:00 P. M. will not stop at the Baseball Grounds.

City tickets and passes will be accepted for transportation on these cars. Seacoast passes good only on beach cars.

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3,111 Bales Choice Timothy Hay.
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Pullman service all the way.

Lv. Wilmington.....3:35 P. M.
Ar. Columbia.....11:10 P. M.
Lv. Columbia.....11:15 P. M.
Ar. Asheville.....7:10 A. M.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

Jun 24-tf.

WEEK END RATES VIA SEABOARD.

The Seaboard announces May 30th until September 30 round-trip rates from Wilmington as follows:

From Wilmington to—

Jackson Springs, N. C.	$3.85
Lincolnton, N. C.	7.10
Shelby, N. C.	7.85
Rutherfordton, N. C.	8.65
Hickory, N. C.	7.95
Lenoir, N. C.	10.00
Blowing Rock	10.00
Chimney Rock, N. C.	10.00

Tickets to Jackson Spring sold for Saturday trains, good returning Monday; to Blowing Rock and Chimney Rock Friday and Saturday trains, good returning Tuesday. To other points for Friday and Saturday trains, good returning Monday following date of sale.

For further information apply to Ticket Agent, or,

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Tickets for passage for all trains are sold by this Company and accepted by the passenger with the understanding that this Company will not be responsible for failure to run its trains on schedule time or for any such delays as may be incident to their operation. Care is exercised to give correct time of connecting lines but this Company is not responsible for errors or omissions.

Trains Arrive at Wilmington as Follows

No. 44 at 12:45 A. M. from Charlotte, Hamlet and local Stations.

No. 40 arrives 12:50 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, and all points North and South.

Trains Leave Wilmington as Follows

	No. 45	No. 39
Lv. Wilm't'n	4:50 A. M.	3:00 P. M.
Ar. Lumb't'n	7:26 A. M.	5:55 P. M.
Ar. Maxton	8:15 A. M.	6:49 P. M.
Ar. Hamlet	9:15 A. M.	7:50 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet	9:45 A. M.	8:25 P. M.
Ar. Monroe	11:40 A. M.	10:25 P. M.
Ar. Ch'lotte	12:35 P. M.	11:30 P. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points north.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 52 for Portsmouth-Norfolk and No. 42 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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S. S. Carib.....Saturday, July 18th
S. S. Navahoe.....Saturday, July 25th

Wilmington for Georgetown.

S. S. Navahoe.....Monday, July 20th
S. S. Carib.....Monday, July 27th

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 21.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market steady $2.40.

TAR—Market, firm $1.50.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $2.00 per barrel for hard, $2.60 and $3.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine 54 3-4; rosin firm $4 02 1-2; tar firm $2.50; crude turpentine $3.00, $4.50 and $5.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 57
Rosin 171
Tar 12
Crude Turpentine 157

Receipts—Some day last year, 46 casks spirits turpentine; 183 barrelh rosin; 77 barrels tar; 116 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Nominal, 11 7-8 cents for middling.

Receipts— — bales, same day last year — bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime 65c; extra prime 70c; fancy 75c per bushel of 28 lbs. Virginia—No. 1, 70c; fancy 75@80c; Spanish 75@85c.

CORN—Firm, 95c per bushel for white; 92 1-2@95 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, new 14@15c; shoulders 11@12 1-2c; sides 35c.

EGGS—Dull at 15@16c.

CHICKENS—Dull at 12 1-2@30c for large springs; growns, firm, 35 to 38c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 8c; green, dull 4c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90@$1.00 per bushel.

COW PEAS—$1.90@$2.00 per bushel.

WOOL—Free of burr, 15c; burry wool, 10 to 12 1-2c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, July 21.—The cotton market was much more active today and scored a sharp gain on aggressive bull support and covering with the close steady at a net advance of 18 to 23 points. Sales were estimated at 250,000 bales.

The market opened steady at a decline of 1 to 5 points. This was considered better than due in view of the easy cables and favorable weather reports, but even before the opening there were rumors that the big bull leaders intended to support the market and buying from this source was clearly in evidence before the end of the call. After an advance from 9.13 to 9.23 for October there was a recession of 4 or 5 points owing to a temporary withdrawal of bull support and realizing, but there was a renewal of the strong Wall Street buying almost immediately and during the early afternoon it seemed that even some of the larger shorts were becoming uneasy. At any rate October contracts sold up to 9.43, or 25 points net higher, and while subsequent fluctuations were firm, the close was a point or two off from the best on active months. There seemed to be nothing in the news to explain the increased confidence of the bull party, but the strong market leaders had their brokers around the ring buying all lots of a thousand bales or more that were offered. Late in the session they bought smaller lots as well and their support was in evidence right up to the close. The weekly report of the weather bureau was considered of a bearish average but had no influence on prices. The forecast for rain in the Eastern belt was considered favorable and private crop news was generally encouraging. Southern spot markets were unchanged to 1-8c lower.

Receipts at the ports today 5,677 bales against 6,808 last week and 1,557 last year. For the week 25,000 bales against 25,004 last week and 7,953 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 1,789 bales against 18 last year and at Houston 1,274 bales against 1,015 last year.

Spot closed quiet, 15 points advance, middling uplands 11.00; middling gulf 11.25; sales 100 bales. Futures opened and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	Close.
July	9.25	9.45
August	9.15	9.36
September	9.14	9.36
October	9:15	9.41
November	—	9.23
December	8.98	9.24
January	8.95	9.20
February	—	9.20
March	8.96	9.19

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Quiet, 10 1-2; net receipts 2,942.

New Orleans—Quiet and steady, 10 3-4; net receipts 1,789.

Mobile—Nominal, 10 5-8; net receipts 70.

Savannah—Quiet, 10 5-8; net receipts 595.

Charleston—Quiet; net receipts 6.

Wilmington—Nominal.

Norfolk—Quiet, 11; net receipts 179.

Baltimore—Nominal 11 1-2.

New York—Quiet, 11.

Boston—Quiet, 10.85; net receipts 96.

Philadelphia—Steady, 11.25.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 5,677; Great Britain 1,561; Continent 528; stocks 228,477.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 12,536; Great Britain 1,700; France 2,247; Continent 6,259.

Total since September 1st at all ports, net receipts 8,303,264; Great Britain 2,872,967; France 832,276; Continent 3,282,442; Japan 190,649; Mexico 1,549.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 1-2; net receipts 11,274.

Augusta—Steady, 11; net receipts 102.

Memphis—Steady, 10 7-8; net receipts 36.

St. Louis—Steady, 11; net receipts 79.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 195.

Louisville—Firm, 11 3-4.

Little Rock—Dull, 10 3-8; net receipts 113.

Total today — Net receipts 1,799; gross receipts 2,003; shipments 2,402; sales 2,552; stocks 89,159.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, July 21.—Close: Cotton spot dull; prices easier; American middling fair 5.96; low middling 5.58; good ordinary 500; ordinary 4.60.

The sales of the day were 3,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 2,400 American. Receipts 16,000 bales, including 8,500 American.

Futures opened quiet and steady, and closed steady. July 5:58; July and August 5.56; August and September 5.29; September and October 5.10; October and November 5.03; November and December 4.98 1-2; December and January 4.95 1-2; January and February 4.94; February and March 4.95; March and April 4.96; April and May 4.96 1-2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 21.—There was a betterment noted in the demand for brown and napped cotton goods during the day, but the amount of business coming forward on these cloths is still below sellers expectations the best known bleached goods are well sold ahead and are being held at value. Jobbers continue to move out large quantities of prints. More business is being done in cotton yarns and while quotations are unchanged the market is slightly easier.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 21.—An added weight of sales had to be borne by the stock market today and some effect was produced on prices by this pressure. Building up of the short interest made a supporting factor for values. Reading was run up aggressively in the face of a declining tendency in the general list. The suggestion found currency that the movement was in anticipation of an outcome of the suit to test the validity of the commodities clause of the Hepburn Act in favor of the contentions of the company. This decision is still in the hands of the courts.

The controversy over freight advances between railroads and shippers as it finds expression in published exchanges in assuming a vigor and involving charges of motives that are felt to threaten bad effect on public sentiment. Announcement of an issue of $18,000,000 Central Pacific bonds proved of rather chilling effect both to the stock and bond divisions of the market. The persistence of the realizing sales caused continual renewals of the declining tendency, but the net losses at the end of the day were small.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value $4,708,000. U. S. Bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales today were 802,500 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 21.—Money on call easy 1 1-4 to 1 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 1 1-4, closing bid 1, offered at 1 1-4. Time loans stronger; 60 says 2 per cent. and 90 days 2 1-2; six months 4. Close: Prime mercantile paper 3 1-2 to 4 per cent.; sterling exchange easy with actual business in bankers bills at 4.87 for demand and at 4.85.65 to 4.85.75 for 60 day bills. Commercial bills 4.85 to 1-4. Bar silver 52 3-4. Mexican dollars 45.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg	103 5-8
U. S. refunding 2s cou	103 5-8
U. S. 3s reg	100
U. S. 3s cou	100 3-4
U. S. new 4s reg ex in	120 1-4
U. S. new 4s cou	122 1-4
American Tobacco Co. 6s	107 1-2
Aalantic Coast Line 4s b	92
Baltimore & Ohio 4s b	99
L. & N. Unified 5s	97 3-4
Seaboard Air Line 4s b	57 1-4
Southern Railway 5s b	98 7-8
U. S. Steel 5s	99 1-2

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	70 7-8
American Car & Foundry	39 3-4
American Cotton Oil Co	34 3-4
Amr. Locomotive	52 1-4
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd	106 3-4
Amr. Sugar Refining	129 1-2
Amr. Tobacco pfd	95
Atchison	86 1-4
Atchison pfd	93
Atlantic Coast Line	93
Baltimore & Ohio	92 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	83@87
Chesapeake & Ohio	42 1-4
Erie	22 1-4
Erie, 1st pfd	38
Erie 2nd pfd	27 1-2
Kansas City Southern	24 3-4
Kansas City Southern pfd	56 1-2
L. & N.	108
Norfolk & Western	73
Pennsylvania	104 1-8
People's Gas	95 1-4
Reading	117 5-8
Rock Island Co.	17 3-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	34 3-4
Standard Oil	640
Southern Pacific	91 3-8
Southern Pacific pfd	118 1-2
Southern Railway	19
Southern Railway pfd	50 1-4
U. S. Steel	44 7-8
U. S. Steel pfd	108 1-4
Va.-Car. Chemical	24 3-4
Va.-Car. Chemical pfd	100@103
Seaboard Air Line	—
Seaboard Air Line pfd	—
Western Union	56 1-4

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 21.—Flour—Steady with a moderate demand. Rye flour steady.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Rye Dull and easy.

Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red 99 1-2 to 1.00 1-2 elevator. Options 3-8 to 1-2 net higher. July 1.01 1-4; September 98 7-8; December 1.00 7-8.

Corn—Steady; 2,83 1-2 nominal elevator. Options closed 1-4 net lower. July 87; September 82 1-2; December 71.

Oats—Steady; mixed 58 to 59.

Beef—Steady.

Cut Meats—Steady.

Lard—Steady.

Pork—Barely steady.

Tallow—Dull.

Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Dull.

Sugar—Raw easy; fair refining 3.77; centrifugal 96 test 4.27; molasses sugar 3.52; refined steady.

Coffee—Steady; Rio No. 7 6 1-4; Santos No. 4 8 3-4. Mild coffee quiet; Cordova 9 3-4 to 12 1-2. Futures net unchanged to 5 points higher.

Cotton Seed Oil was active and higher on support from refiners, higher cotton values and speculative buying. Prime crude nominal; prime summer yellow 44; off summer yellow 44 3-4 to 44; good off summer yellow 41 3-4 to 44; good off summer yellow 40 1-4 to 44; prime white 46 to 50; prime winter yellow 46 3-4 to 49.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

Potatoes—Steady, unchanged.

Cabbages—Qu'et, unchanged.

Butter—Firm, unchanged; receipts 26,361.

Cheese—Steady, unchanged; receipts 12,306.

Eggs—Steady, unchanged; receipts 24,461.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, Illinois, July 21.— Reports from the northwest and a continued brisk demand for the cash grain had a strengthening effect today on the local wheat market, the September delivery closing at a net gain of 5-8. Corn was down 3-8. Oats were up 1 to 1 1-8. Provisions were 7 1-2 to 10 cents to 22 1-2 cent lower.

Leading futures were as follows:

	Open.	Highest.	Close.
Wheat.			
July ..	90 1-2	91 1-2	90 7-8
Sept ..	90 5-8	91 5-8	91 1-4
Dec. ol	93 1-4	93 1-4	93 1-4
Dec ne	92 3-4	93 1-8	93
Corn.			
July ..	75 5-8	75 7-8	75 7-8
Sept ..	75 3-4	75 7-8	75 1-2
Dec. ..	61 1-2	61 5-8	61 3-8
May ..	60 3-8	60 7-8	60 3-4
Oats.			
July ol	52 1-8	52 3-4	52 3-4
July ne	52 3-8	52 1-2	52 1-2
Sept ..	42 7-8	44	44
Dec. ..	43	43 3-4	43 1-2
Mess Pork, per bbl.			
Sept ..	15 55	15 85	15 82 1-2
Oct. ..	15 65	25 85	15 85
Lard, per 100 lbs.			
Sept ..	9 25	9 37 1-2	9 37 1-2
Oct. ..	9 37 1-2	9 45	9 45
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.			
Sept ..	8 70	8 85	8 85
Oct. ..	8 80	8 92 1-2	8 92 1-2

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, firm. No. 3 spring wheat 1.02 to 1.15; No. 2 red 92 1-4 to 93 1-2. No. 2 corn 75 3-4 to 76 1-4; No. 2 yellow 76 1-4 to 76 3-4. No. 2 oats 57 1-2 to 60. Fair to choice malting 67 to 69. Prime timothy seed 3.95. Short ribs, sides (loose) 8.50 to 8.37 1-2. Mess pork, per bbl. 15.75 to 15.80. Lard, per 100 lbs. 9.27 1-2. Short clear sides (boxed) 8.75 to 9.00. Whiskey, basis of high wines 1.35.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, July 21.—Turpentine steady 42 1-2.

Charleston, S. C., July 21.—Turpentine steady 39; sales none. Rosin steady; sales none Quote: A. B. C. 2.65; D, 2.75 to 2.80; 3.00.

Savannah, Ga., July 21.—Turpentine firm 38 3-4; sales 8.66; receipts 1,277; shipments 165. Rosin firm; sales 4,003; receipts 4.525; shipments 1,298; stocks 129,735. Quote: A. B. C. 2.70; D, 2.85; E, 3.10; F, 2.35; G, 3.27 1-2 to 3.30; H, 3.35; I, 4.00; K, 4.90; M, 5.40; N, 5.90; WG, WW, 6.45.

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W. & W. Railroad—6 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—7 casks spirits turpentine, 9 barrels rosin, 8 barrels tar, 6 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—8 casks spirits turpentine, 4 barrels tar, 53 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Lyon—35 casks spirits turpentine, 126 barrels rosin, 79 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Virginia—7 casks spirits turpentine, 36 barrels rosin.

Total— — bales cotton, 57 casks spirits turpentine, 171 barrels rosin, 12 barrels tar, 157 barrels crude turpentine.

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Bonds		9,000.00
Furniture and fixtures		100.00
Cash items		30.00
Gold Coin		370.00
Silver Coin		233.79
Currency		1,669.00
Due from Banks		30,018.89
Total		$ 716,578.09

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock		$ 50,000.00
Net Profits		36,425.03
Accrued Interest due depositors		2,500.00
Cashier's checks		467.55
Demand certificates	$ 43.959.89	
Deposits	583,225.62	627,185.51
Total		$ 716,578.09

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MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

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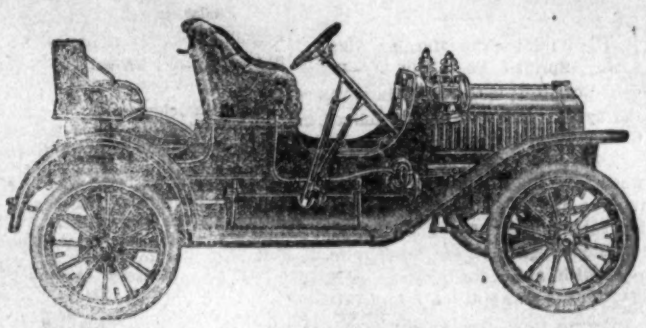

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TAFT TO CONFER WITH PRESIDENT

Acceptance Speech Will be Most Important of The Campaign.

ROOSEVELT'S JUDGEMENT

Virginia Republicans Urge Suggestions of Grand Rally in That State Before Mr. Taft Quits Place in September—Leaves Friday.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Hot Springs, Va., July 21.—President Roosevelt is to review in advance the speech Judge Taft will deliver in Cincinnati next Tuesday.

"I have decided to make this speech what may be my most important utterance of the campaign. I have the highest regard for the President's judgment regarding the subjects to be dealt with, and a keen appreciation of his wonderful ability for forceful expression. I want his judgment and his criticism, and this cannot be satisfactorily obtained at long range, so I have decided to go to Oyster Bay."

This statement made today by Mr. Taft indicated his viewpoint regarding the anouncement of his intended trip which he says is to be taken on his own and not on the President's initiative. He will leave here with Mr. Carpenter, his secretary, tomorrow night. He will leave New York for Cincinnati Friday afternoon.

This, he says, will give him two days there before the notificaton ceremonies are upon him. Should Mrs. Taft decide to be with her husband Tuesday, she will go to Cincinnati directly from here.

Mr. Taft said today that the first intention to have the utterances only a simple and formal acknowledgement of the notification had been finally abandoned, in view of the growing importance and a number of the subjects which seemed to crowd themselves forward for consideration. The speech will doubtless contain approximately 12,000 words.

Pressure for one grand rally of Virginia Republicans to be held here before Mr. Taft quits the place in September for the activities of the campaign was applied anew today by a delegation of leading Republicans from many sections of the State, headed by Representative Slemp, of the Ninth District, who is also chairman of the Republican State Executive Committee.

Judge Taft looks with some favor on the rally, and will, upon his return from Cincinnati, consider fixing a date in August for its occurrence. He coincided with the view expressed by the delegation that good politics dictated that an active campaign be made not only in the Old Dominion, but also in North Carolina and Georgia.

"If I have any influence with the National Committee," Judge Taft is quoted as saying to the delegation, "a fight will be made in those States."

SEMI-CENTENNIAL OF PEACE.

Between the North and South in 1915 is Proposed Plan.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Cincinnati, O., July 21.—A movement to celebrate the semi-centennial of peace between the North and South by holding in 1915 a great Southern Exposition in Cincinnati and dedicating a Southern peace monument in this city was launched at a special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce this afternoon. The proposition was given enthusiastic approval by the members. At the close of the meeting one of the leaders in the movement said:

"A Southern exposition and some sort of memorial or monument indicating Cincinnati's affection for the South is assured."

A formal report was presented in support of the idea, giving various reasons why such a celebration should be held in Cincinnati. While summing up the probable character of the celebration, the report said:

"As to character, scope and plans, these are matters for future consideration. It may take the form of an exhibit of waterway devices and methods. It is suggested that there be erected a monument commemorative of peace, the money to be raised by popular subscription. This monument to occupy the centre of a small park or public square in Cincinnati. The unveiling of this monument would take place at the opening of the celebration during the month of May, 1915, the fiftieth anniversary of the restoration of peace. Unlike expositions of the past, each State representing the new South would have its own building in which its resources, things of human interest and particular forms of amusement and entertainment would be found. No State would be restricted as to the magnitude of its exhibit."

It Reached the Spot.

Mr. E. Humphrey, who owns a large general store at Omega, O., and is president of the Adams County Telephone Co., as well as of the Home Telephone Co., of Pike County, O., says of Dr. King's New Discovery: "It saved my life once. At least I think it did. It seemed to reach the spot—the very seat of my cough—when everything else failed." Dr. King's New Discovery not only reaches the cough spot; it heals the sore spots and the weak spots in throat, lungs and chest. Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

Twenty-Three.

"Skidoo" dance at Lumina tomorrow night. Japanese dance on Monday night. **

ADDRESS TO OFFICERS

Significant Event at Naval War College Today in Which President Roosevelt Will Be Chief Speak—Oyster Bay.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 21.—It was a jolly family party that embarked upon the President's yacht Mayflower for the trip to Newport, R. I., where, tomorrow afternoon, President Roosevelt will deliver an address before the Summer conference of officers at the United States Naval War College. The Mayflower when the party were all safely aboard, steamed away to the Eastward through Long Island Sound, having as company the fleet of night liners between New York and the East.

After luncheon at Sagamore Hill the President gathered his party together and walked down through the woods to the Roosevelt pier in the Cove. Here two launches were waiting to convey the President and his guests to the Mayflower. The party consisted of the President, Mrs. Roosevelt, Kermit Roosevelt, Miss Ethel Roosevelt, Masters Archibald and Quentin Roosevelt, Dr. and Mrs. W. Emlen Roosevelt, two secret service men and two members of the executive office staff.

The Mayflower will reach Newport about 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. President Roosevelt and his party will land at 9:15 A. M. at the Naval training school, where Rear Admiral John P. Morrell, President of the Naval War College, and the commandant of the training station, and other officers will receive them, after which the President will enter a carriage and drive to the flagstaff. There he will review the Brigade. It is expected that the President will reach the Naval War College at 9:30 A. M. When all the officers attending the conference have assembled the President will begin his address, which, it is understood will not occupy a long time. Afterwards a discussion by the officers on battleship designs will take place, continuing until about 1 P. M.

HEADQUARTERS IN CHICAGO

Republican Politicians Conferring With Hitchcock at Colorado Springs

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Colorado Springs, Colo., July 21.—Just before final adjournment tonight the members of the Republican Committee in conference with Frank H. Hitchcock voted unanimously to establish headquarters in Chicago instead of New York. Hitchcock's force will be established there as soon as he can get them together after his return to Chicago. All the work of the [illegible] cago, even to collecting campaign funds.

The time today was fully occupied by the Republican politicians. During the forenoon the ascended Pike's Peak on a special train. On the trip up and down Mr. Hitchcock conferred with every politician individually.

When the party arrived at the Antlers after the excursion luncheon was served and the Western leaders resumed their conference at 3 P. M. At the session yesterday stock was taken but today plans for the campaigns to be made in the various Western States were discussed in detail. Mr. Hichcock declared that he could not discuss these plans. He said that the conferences had been very successful in every way but particularly through the good fellowship established among the men who are depended upon to do the real work in the West and the spirit of enthusiasm that has been aroused. All men who attended the conferences remained here tonight for Mr. Hitchcock's dinner. It is ascertained by practically all of the men who attended the meetings here that the question of contributions for election expenses had not been raised at anytime.

The Westerners said that they had no doubt that money would be found to carry on the campaign and that success would be found later.

AMERICANS MEDAL WINNERS

They Triumphed at the Olympic Games—Much Enthusiasm.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

London, July 21.—Melvin W. Sheppard, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, who took the measure of England's best distance men in the 1,500 metre run at the Olympic games just a week ago, scored another victory today, when he finished far in the lead in the 800 metre event, establishing a new Olympic record for the distance and continuing on to the half mile, which he ran in 1:45, within 3-5 of a second of C. H. Kilpatrick's world's record made in New York in 1895.

Another gold-medal went to America when Harry F. Porter, of the Irish-American Athletic Club captured the high jump by clearing the bar at 6 feet 3 inches, and beating the Olympic record made by J. K. Baxter, in Paris in 1900, of 6 feet 2 4-5 inches. After assuring himself that he was the winner, he went after the world's record. The bar was placed at 6 feet 5 3-4 inches, just one eighth of an inch higher than the record, which was made by M. F. Sweeney, in New York in 1895, but it was just a shade too much for him.

Better weather, a more larger attendance and exciting finishes made today's Olympic sports at the stadium far and away more interesting than any that have preceded them. There was absolutely no interruption, and from 10 o'clock in the morning until after 7 in the evening a great crowd of enthusiasts sat in the stands cheering the victors and vanquished alike.

The new United States armored cruiser Montana was placed in commission at the Norfolk Navy yard today, with Captain Albert Reynolds, commanding.

BISHOP POTTER PASSES AWAY

Distinguished Prelate Died at Cooperstown, N. Last Night.

SUFFERED A RELSE

He Figured Prominently in Public Life For Many Years—The End Came Peacefully—Sketch of His Life.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Cooperstown, N. Y., July —Henry Codman Potter, seventh Protestant Episcopal Bishop of the Dese of New York, died tonight "Fernleigh" his summer home hear after an illness of several weeks. T Bishop was unconscious all day and he end, which came at 8:35 o'clock tonight, was peaceful and quiet. The prelate was 74 years old.

Gathered at the bedside of e dying churchman was Mrs. Potte wife of the prelate; Mrs. Mazon C. Davidge, who came from California, d Miss Sarah Potter, his two dghters; Alonzo Potter, his son; Mr Edward S. Clark, Stephen C. Clark nd Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Clark. Mrs Charles Russell and Mrs. William de, his two other daughters, who a abroad have been notified.

Death was due primarily o embolism in the right leg, followi a long attack of liver and stomac trouble and the end had been forseen for several days by the Bishop physicians. Bishop Potter suffered a severe relapse yesterday morning an though oxygen was given, his decne was gradual, and he sank into unconsciousness early today which lased until the end.

No arrangements for the funeral have as yet been made, but is probable that services will be held here and that the body will be removed to New York, where a public funeral will be held at Grace Church.

Sketch of His Life.

Henry Codman Potter, seventh Protestant Episcopal Bishop of the diocese, was 74 years of age and was a native of Schenectady, N. Y. He had been the head of the New York Diocese since 1887, succeeding his uncle, Bishop Horatio Potter. In addition to the heavy duties of the Bishop of the largest diocese in point of population in the United States, Bishop Potter took an active part in movements of National importance. The Bishop did tionships between employers and employed and when the occasion demanded, lent his efforts to improve the standard of municipal government in New York City. Having once pointed the way toward Municipal regeneration the Bishop stepped aside and permitted others to carry out the reforms.

The conditions of immorality on the East Side in New York were brought to his attention several years ago, and in a sharp sermon delivered at St. Paul's Church, he called public attention to a lax condition of municipal direction which resulted in the overthrow of the Tammany administration and the election of Seth Low, president of Columbia College to the office of Mayor.

Bishop Potter caused a great stir throughout the country several years ago, when he took part at the dedication of the subway taverns on Bleeker street, New York. It was the plan of those interested in the tavern to conduct an establishment where all intoxicants would be served under regulations which would promote temperance and by example improve the tone of the saloon. The Bishop made an address in which he said he hoped that the tavern would prove a success. After an uncertain existence the Tavern failed.

A few years ago Bishop Potter married Mrs. Elizabeth Scriven Clark, his second wife, whose summer home is in this city.

Bishop Potter was the son of Rev. Alonzo Potter, who was consecrated Bishop of Pennsylvania in 1845, and was educated at the Episcopal Academy in Philadelphia, and the Theological seminary in Virginia. He was ordained a Priest in 1858. Bishop Potter wrote extensively of his travels abroad and was a member of many well known New York Clubs.

MONETARY COMMITTEE MEET.

Men to Consider Financial Needs of Country in Executive Session.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Narragansett Pier, R. I., July 21.—Two sessions of the National Monetary Commission appointed by the last Congress to consider the financial needs of the country were held at the Imperial today.

The sessions were private and nothing was given to the public as to their results, but it was understood that the subject today did not get beyond the preliminary stage.

It was stated this evening that word had been received from Secretary of the Treasury George B. Cortelyou, that he would arrive tomorrow night to give such information as he could to the Commission. It was also learned unofficially that Chairman Aldrich had appointed a committee to collect material on certain phases of the monetary situation.

Virginia Harned, actress and wife of Edward H. Sothern, the actor, yesterday filed a suit for divorce in the District Court in Reno, Nevada. The complaint is a sealed document and nothing can be learned of the character of the charges made. Cheney, Massey and Prince, Mrs. Sothern's lawyers refuse to talk of the case. Mrs. Sothern could not be interviewed today.

GUILTY IN SIX COURTS

"Rev." William J. Whitaker, For Fraudulent Use of Mails Will be Sentenced Today—Swindled Heirs.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Asheville, N. C., July 21.—In the United States Circuit Court today, "Rev." William G. Whittaker was found guilty of using the United States mails for fraudulent purposes. The accused was convicted on all six counts on which he was indicted. Sentence was deferred until tomorrow.

Whittaker was arrested in Dayton, Ohio, last February at the instance of the postal authorities. Whittaker claimed that there existed in the Bank of England a fund of $200,000,000 which was the lawful property of the heirs of the Whittaker family and is alleged to have collected various sums from the "heirs" in all sections of the United States.

An order today by Judge Walter Neal in Wake Superior Court dismissed the receivership of the company publishing the Raleigh Evening Times, the paper being restored to the former management with the full consent of the creditors. John C. Drewry is president of the corporation and J. V. Simms, business manager. The name of the corporation is soon to be changed from the Press Visitor Company, to the Raleigh Evening Times Company. The receivership was established last February, the liabilities being $15,000. The creditors now express belief that the regular officers will be able to pay off the debts in time.

BATTLESHIP FLEET

Will Resume its Journey Around the World Today.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Honolulu, July 21.—The Atlantic battleship fleet has finished coaling and final preparations are being made to resume its journey around the world tomorrow when sail will be set for New Zealand and Australia.

The flagship Connecticut will leave her wharf at 2:30 P. M. tomorrow and the fleet will raise anchor and sail at 6 P. M.

Five thousand men from the fleet were granted shore leave today. There was an excursion to Pearl Harbor for the officers this afternoon and tonight a grand ball was held in honor of the sailors and marines.

The day's festivities closed with fireworks and an illumination of the fleet.

It has been arranged that the hospital ship Relief shall accompany the fleet to the antipodes and that the Minnesota shall remain behind to await the arrival of mail which is [illegible] steamer Virginia and rejoin the fleet before it reaches Auckland.

Skidoo Dance.

at Lumina tomorrow night. Monday night is Japanese night. **

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FRENCH CLARET: St. Julien or Pontet Canet, case of 12 bottles $8.00, Regular price $12.00.

Old California Claret, St. Ives, per case of 12 bottles $3.50, Regular price $6.00.

Madeira, per gal. $2.00 per case of 12 bottles $6.00, Regular price per gal $4.00, per case $10.00.

California Dry, very light and palatable, per case of 12 bottles $3.50, Regular price $6.00.

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Old Pale Sherry, per case of 12 bottles $4.00, Regular price $7.50.

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Duff Gordon Sherry, per case of 12 bottles $8.50, Regular price $12.00.

Oporto Port, per case of 12 bottles $4.00, Regular price $6.00.

4 Crown Spanish Port, per case of 12 bottles $8.50, Regular price $12.00.

Boh Blackberry, per gal. $1.50, case $4.00, Regular price $7.50.

Genuine German Doppel Kummel (Cordial), case 12 bottles $10.00, Regular price $15.00.

Genuine German Krauter Bitter (Stomach Bitters), case 12 bottles $7.00, Regular price $12.00.

Genuine Augostura Bitters, 50c per bottle.

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The American National Bank of Wilmington.

(Condensed from report of the Comptroller at the close of business July 15, 1908).

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$91,757.17	Capital Stock paid in	$72,080.00
Over Drafts	11.79	Profits Net	823.79
United States Bonds	25,000.00	Circulation	25,000.00
Premium on Bonds	921.88	Deposits	92,846.52
Redemption fund	1,250.00		
Cash	68,426.98		
	$190,750.31		$190,750.31

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